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## SYMBOLS AND TERMINOLOGY; CONVENTIONS FOR DETERMINING MEDIAN VALUES

Beginning with data reported for January 1949, the symbols, terminology, and conventions for the determination of median values used in this report (CRPL-F series) conform as far as practicable to those adopted at the Fifth Meeting of the International Radio Consultative Committee (C.C.I.R.) in Stockholm, 1948, and given in detail on pages 2 to 10 of the report CRPL-F53, "Ionospheric Data," issued January 1949.

For symbols and terminology used with data prior to January 1949, see report IRPL-C61, "Report of International Radio Propagation Conference, Washington, 17 April to 5 May, 1944," previous issues of the F series, in particular, IRPL-F5, CRPL-F24, F33, F50, and report CRPL-7-1, "Preliminary Instructions for Obtaining and Reducing Manual Ionospheric Records."

Following the recommendations of the Washington (1944) and Stockholm (1948) conferences, beginning with data for January 1945, median values are published wherever possible. Where averages are reported, they are, at any hour, the average for all the days during the month for which numerical data exist.

In addition to the conventions for the determination of medians given in Appendix 5 of Document No. 293 E of the Stockholm conference, which are listed on pages 9 and 10 of CRPL-F53, the following conventions are used in determining the medians for hours when no measured values are given because of equipment limitations and ionospheric irregularities. Symbols used are those given on pages 2-9 of CRPL-F53 (Appendices 1-4 of Document No. 293 E referred to above).

### a. For all ionospheric characteristics:

Values missing because of A, B, C, F, L, M, N, Q, R, S, or T (see terminology referred to above) are omitted from the median count.

### b. For critical frequencies and virtual heights:

Values of foF2 (and foE near sunrise and sunset) missing because of E are counted as equal to or less than the lower limit of the recorder. Values of h'F2 (and h'E near sunrise and sunset) missing for this reason are counted as equal to or greater than the median. Other characteristics missing because of E are omitted from the median count. See CRPL-F38, page 9.

Values missing because of D are counted as equal to or greater than the upper limit of the recorder.

Values missing because of G are counted:

1. For  $f_{oF2}$ , as equal to or less than  $f_{oF1}$ .
2. For  $h'F2$ , as equal to or greater than the median.

Values missing because of W are counted:

1. For  $f_{oF2}$ , as equal to or less than the median when it is apparent that  $h'F2$  is unusually high; otherwise, values missing because of W are omitted from the median count.
2. For  $h'F2$ , as equal to or greater than the median.

Values missing for any other reason are omitted from the median count.

c. For MUF factor (M-factors):

Values missing because of G or W are counted as equal to or less than the median.

Values missing for any other reason are omitted from the median count.

d. For sporadic E (Es):

Values of  $f_{Es}$  missing because of G (no Es reflections observed, the equipment functioning normally otherwise) are counted as equal to or less than the median  $f_{oE}$ , or equal to or less than the lower frequency count of the recorder.

Values of  $f_{Es}$  missing for any other reason, and values of  $h'Es$  missing for any reason at all are omitted from the median count.

Beginning with data for November 1945, doubtful monthly median values for ionospheric observations at Washington, D. C., are indicated by parentheses, in accordance with the practice already in use for doubtful hourly values. The following are the conventions used to determine whether or not a median value is doubtful:

1. If only four values or less are available, the data are considered insufficient and no median value is computed.

2. For the F2 layer, if only five to nine values are available, the median is considered doubtful. The E and F1 layers are so regular in their characteristics that, as long as there are at least five values, the median is not considered doubtful.

3. For all layers, if more than half of the values used to compute the median are doubtful (either doubtful or interpolated), the median is considered doubtful.

The same conventions are used by the CRPL in computing the medians from tabulations of daily and hourly data for stations other than Washington, beginning with the tables in IRPL-F18.

## MONTHLY AVERAGE AND MEDIAN VALUES OF WORLD - WIDE IONOSPHERIC DATA

The ionospheric data given here in tables 1 to 51 and figures 1 to 102 were assembled by the Central Radio Propagation Laboratory for analysis and correlation, incidental to CRPL prediction of radio propagation conditions. The data are median values unless otherwise indicated. The following are the sources of the data in this issue:

Australian Department of Supply and Shipping,  
Bureau of Mineral Resources, Geology and Geophysics:  
Watheroo, W. Australia

British Department of Scientific and Industrial Research,  
Radio Research Board:  
Lindau/Harz, Germany

Radio Wave Research Laboratory, Central Broadcasting Administration:  
Chungking, China  
Lanchow, China

All India Radio (Government of India), New Delhi, India:  
Bombay, India  
Delhi, India  
Madras, India  
Tiruchirapalli, India

Indian Council of Scientific and Industrial Research,  
Radio Research Committee:  
Calcutta, India

Electrical Communications Laboratory, Ministry of Communications:  
Fukaura, Japan  
Shibata, Japan  
Tokyo, Japan  
Wakkanai, Japan  
Yamakawa, Japan

New Zealand Department of Scientific and Industrial Research:  
Christchurch, New Zealand

Norwegian Defense Research Establishment, Kjeller per Lillestrom, Norway:  
Oslo, Norway

South African Council for Scientific and Industrial Research:  
Capetown, Union of S. Africa  
Johannesburg, Union of S. Africa

National Bureau of Standards (Central Radio Propagation Laboratory):  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana (Louisiana State University)  
Boston, Massachusetts (Harvard University)  
Guam I.  
Huancayo, Peru (Instituto Geofisico de Huancayo)  
Maui, Hawaii  
Palmyra I.  
San Francisco, California (Stanford University)  
San Juan, Puerto Rico (University of Puerto Rico)  
Trinidad, British West Indies  
Washington, D. C.  
White Sands, New Mexico

The tables and graphs of ionospheric data are correct for the values reported to the CRPL, but, because of variations in practice in the interpretation of records and scaling and manner of reporting of values, may at times give an erroneous conception of typical ionospheric characteristics at the station. Some of the errors are due to:

- a. Differences in scaling records when spread echoes are present.
- b. Omission of values when  $f_{oF2}$  is less than or equal to  $f_{oF1}$ , leading to erroneously high values of monthly averages or median values.
- c. Omission of values when critical frequencies are less than the lower frequency limit of the recorder, also leading to erroneously high values of monthly average or median values.

These effects were discussed on pages 6 and 7 of the previous F-series report IRPL-F5.

Ordinarily a blank space in the  $f_{Es}$  column of a table is the result of the fact that a majority of the readings for the month are below the lower limit of the recorder or less than the corresponding values of  $f_{oE}$ . Blank spaces at the beginning and end of columns of  $h'F_1$ ,  $f_{oF1}$ ,  $h'E$ , and  $f_{oE}$  are usually the result of diurnal variation in these characteristics. Complete absence of medians of  $h'F_1$  and  $f_{oF1}$  is usually the result of seasonal effects.

The dashed-line prediction curves of the graphs of ionospheric data are obtained from the predicted zero-muf contour charts of the CRPL-D series publications. The following points are worthy of note:

- a. Predictions for individual stations used to construct the charts may be more accurate than the values read from the charts since some smoothing of the contours is necessary to allow for the longitude effect within a zone. Thus, inasmuch as the predicted contours are for the center of each zone, part of the discrepancy between the predicted and observed values as given in the F series may be caused by the fact that the station is not centrally located within the zone.
- b. The final presentation of the predictions is dependent upon the latest available ionospheric and radio propagation data, as well as upon predicted sunspot number.
- c. There is no indication on the graphs of the relative reliability of the data; it is necessary to consult the tables for such information.

The following predicted smoothed 12-month running-average Zürich sunspot numbers were used in constructing the contour charts:

Month	Predicted Sunspot No.				
	1949	1948	1947	1946	1945
December		114	126	85	38
November		115	124	83	36
October		116	119	81	23
September	115	117	121	79	22
August	111	123	122	77	20
July	108	125	116	73	
June	108	129	112	67	
May	108	130	109	67	
April	109	133	107	62	
March	111	133	105	51	
February	113	133	90	46	
January	112	130	88	42	

## IONOSPHERIC DATA FOR EVERY DAY AND HOUR AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

The data given in tables 52 to 63 follow the scaling practices given in the report IRPL-C61, "Report of International Radio Propagation Conference," pages 36 to 39, and the median values are determined by the conventions given above under "Symbols and Terminology; Conventions for Determining Median Values." Beginning with September 1949, the data are taken at a new location, Ft. Belvoir, Virginia.

## IONOSPHERE DISTURBANCES

Table 64 presents ionosphere character figures for Washington, D. C., during September 1949, as determined by the criteria presented in the report IRPL-R5, "Criteria for Ionospheric Storminess," together with Cheltenham, Maryland, geomagnetic K-figures, which are usually covariant with them.

Table 65 lists for the stations whose locations are given the sudden ionosphere disturbances observed on the continuous field intensity recordings made at the Sterling Radio Propagation Laboratory during September 1949.

Table 66 lists for the stations whose locations are given the sudden ionosphere disturbances observed at the Brentwood and Somerton, England, receiving stations of Cable and Wireless, Ltd., for various days in August and September 1949.

Table 67 lists for the stations whose locations are given the sudden ionosphere disturbances observed at the Platanos, Argentina, receiving station of the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation for August 3, 1949.

Table 68 lists for the stations whose locations are given the sudden ionosphere disturbances observed at the Point Reyes, California, receiving station of RCA Communications, Inc., for several days in September and for October 2, 1949.

Table 69 lists for the stations whose locations are given the sudden ionosphere disturbances observed at the Riverhead, New York, receiving station of RCA Communications, Inc., for various days in September and October 1949.

Table 70 gives provisional radio propagation quality figures for the North Atlantic and North Pacific areas, for 01 to 12 and 13 to 24 GCT, August 1949, compared with the CRPL daily radio disturbance warnings, which are primarily for the North Atlantic paths, the CRPL weekly radio propagation forecasts of probable disturbed periods, and the half-day Cheltenham, Maryland, geomagnetic K-figures.

The radio propagation quality figures are prepared from radio traffic and ionospheric data reported to the CRPL, in a manner basically the same as that described in IRPL-R31, "North Atlantic Radio Propagation Disturbances, October 1943 through October 1945," issued February 1, 1946. The scale conversions for each report are revised for use with the data beginning January 1948, and statistical weighting replaces what was, in effect, subjective weighting. Separate master distribution curves of the type described in IRPL-R31 were derived for the part of 1946 covered by each report; data received only since 1946 are compared with the master curve for the period of the available data. A report whose distribution is the same as the master is thereby converted linearly to the Q-figure scale. Each report is given a statistical weight which is the reciprocal of the departure from linearity. The half-daily radio propagation quality figure, beginning January 1948, is the weighted mean of the reports received for that period.

These radio propagation quality figures give a consensus of opinion of actual radio propagation conditions as reported by the half day over the two general areas. It should be borne in mind, however, that though the quality may be disturbed according to the CRPL scale, the cause of the disturbance is not necessarily known. There are many variables that must be considered. In addition to ionospheric storminess itself as the cause, conditions may be reported as disturbed because of seasonal characteristics such as are particularly evident in the pronounced day and night contrast over North Pacific paths during the winter months, or because of improper frequency usage for the path and time of day in question. Insofar as possible, frequency usage is included in rating the reports. Where the actual frequency is not shown in the report to the CRPL, it has been assumed that the report is made on the use of optimum working frequencies for the path and time of day in question. Since there is a possibility that all the disturbance shown by the quality figures is not due to ionospheric storminess alone, care should be taken in using the quality figures in research correlations with solar, auroral, geomagnetic, or other data. Nevertheless, these quality figures do reflect a consensus of opinion of actual radio propagation conditions as found on any one half day in either of the two general areas.

### AMERICAN AND ZÜRICH PROVISIONAL RELATIVE SUNSPOT NUMBERS

Table 71 presents the daily American relative sunspot number,  $R_A$ , computed from observations communicated to CRPL by observers in America and abroad. Beginning with the observations for January 1948, a new method of reduction of observations is employed such that each observer is assigned a scale-determining "observatory coefficient," ultimately referred to Zürich observations in a standard period, December 1944 to September 1945, and a statistical weight, the reciprocal of the variance of the observatory coefficient. The daily numbers listed in the table are the weighted means of all observations received for each day. Details of the procedure are given in the Publication of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific, issued February 1949, in an article entitled "Reduction of Sunspot-Number Observations." The American relative sunspot number computed in this way is designated  $R_A$ . It is noted that a number of observatories abroad, including the Zürich observatory, are included in  $R_A$ . The scale of  $R_A$  was referred specifically to that of the Zürich relative sunspot numbers in the standard comparison period; since that time,  $R_A$  is influenced by the Zürich observations only in that Zürich proves to be a consistent observer and receives a high statistical weight. In addition, this table lists the daily provisional Zürich sunspot numbers,  $R_Z$ .

## SOLAR CORONAL INTENSITIES OBSERVED AT CLIMAX, COLORADO

In tables 72a and 72b are listed the intensities of the green (5303A) line of the emission spectrum of the solar corona as observed during September 1949 by the High Altitude Observatory of Harvard University and the University of Colorado at Climax, Colorado, for east and west limbs, respectively, at 5-degree intervals of position angle north and south of the solar equator at the limb. Beginning January 11, 1949, the actual measurements are on solar rotation coordinates rather than astronomical coordinates; thus values of the correction P given in previous coronal tables are omitted. The time of observation is given to the nearest tenth of a day, GCT. The tables of coronal observations in CRPL-F29 to F41 listed the data on astronomical coordinates; the present format on solar rotation coordinates is in conformity with the tables of CRPL-1-4, "Observations of the Solar Corona at Climax, 1944-46."

Tables 73a and 73b give similarly the intensities of the first red (6374A) coronal line; tables 74a and 74b list the intensities of the second red (6704A) coronal line. The following symbols are used in tables 72, 73, and 74: a, observation of low weight; -, corona not visible; and x, position angle not included in plate estimates.

### SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Effective November 1, 1949, the detail of the radio propagation disturbance notices, broadcast on the National Bureau of Standards Radio Station WWV, will be extended by the addition of a third category. Heretofore, two grades of propagation conditions have been recognized in the notices given at nineteen and forty-nine minutes past each hour. The letter "N" (in International Morse Code) repeated eight times has signified normal conditions, while the letter "W" has constituted a warning that disturbed conditions were present or expected within 12 hours. The third category, denoted by the letter "U", is being added to describe unstable conditions -- satisfactory performance for services employing high-power transmitting equipment operating on the recommended frequency, but poor reception on less well-equiped services. The propagation disturbance notices primarily refer to North Atlantic radio circuits. Details are included in NBS Letter Circular LC 886, available upon request.

## TABLES OF IONOSPHERIC DATA

Table 1

Washington, D. C. (38.7°N, 77.1°W)								September 1949	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	280	6.4						2.6	
01	280	6.1						2.6	
02	280	5.8						2.6	
03	280	5.4						2.6	
04	270	5.2						2.6	
05	280	4.9						2.6	
06	270	5.8	120	1.9				2.9	
07	240	7.8	---	---	110	2.5		3.1	
08	230	8.8	230	---	110	3.0	2.2	3.0	
09	260	9.5	220	5.0	110	3.4		3.0	
10	270	9.8	210	(5.2)	110	3.6		2.9	
11	280	10.0	210	(5.1)	110	3.8		2.8	
12	300	10.1	210	(5.5)	110	3.8		2.8	
13	310	10.1	215	(5.4)	110	3.8		2.7	
14	300	10.3	220	(5.5)	110	3.7		2.8	
15	280	10.2	230	---	110	3.5		2.8	
16	240	10.1	230	---	110	3.2		2.8	
17	240	9.8	---	---	110	2.7		2.8	
18	240	9.6			120	2.0		2.8	
19	230	(9.1)					(2.8)		
20	240	8.0					2.7		
21	260	7.3					2.7		
22	270	7.0					2.6		
23	280	6.8					2.6		

Time: 75.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 3

Boston, Massachusetts (42.4°N, 71.2°W)								August 1949	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	285	6.0						2.8	
01	275	5.4						3.0	
02	292	5.0						2.9	
03	298	4.8						2.9	
04	275	4.8						3.0	
05	292	5.2						3.3	
06	275	6.5						3.2	
07	298	6.8	290	5.0				3.1	
08	325	7.1	255	4.8				3.0	
09	375	7.1	275	5.5				2.9	
10	415	7.4	---	---				2.8	
11	442	7.2	---	---				2.7	
12	450	7.2	---	---				2.7	
13	468	7.3	285	5.4				2.7	
14	405	7.4	262	5.4				2.8	
15	332	7.6	---	---				2.9	
16	320	7.7	250	5.0				3.0	
17	288	7.8	---	---				3.0	
18	275	8.9						3.1	
19	260	8.5						3.0	
20	266	7.8						3.0	
21	280	7.3						2.8	
22	295	6.7						2.8	
23	285	6.3						2.9	

Time: 75.0°W.

Sweep: 0.8 Mc to 14.0 Mc in 1 minute.

Table 5

White Sands, New Mexico (32.3°N, 106.5°W)								August 1949	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	300	5.5						2.4	2.5
01	300	5.2						2.9	2.6
02	290	5.2						2.6	2.6
03	285	5.0						2.6	2.7
04	280	4.8						2.6	2.7
06	280	4.6						2.6	2.7
07	260	5.8	260	---	110	(2.0)	3.9	2.8	
08	240	7.2	240	4.0	110	2.7	5.0	2.8	
09	295	8.0	230	4.5	110	(3.1)	4.9	2.7	
10	336	8.4	220	5.0	110	3.4	5.0	2.6	
11	370	8.6	220	5.3	110	3.6	5.1	2.6	
12	370	9.5	220	5.3	110	3.8	4.7	2.6	
13	370	9.5	220	5.4	110	3.9	4.8	2.6	
14	360	9.4	220	5.4	110	3.9	4.6	2.6	
15	350	9.7	225	5.2	110	3.8	4.9	2.6	
16	320	9.3	230	5.1	110	3.6	4.7	2.6	
17	290	9.1	240	4.9	110	3.4	4.5	2.7	
18	260	8.6	245	---	110	(2.2)	3.4	2.8	
19	250	7.8						2.8	2.9
20	240	7.0						2.7	2.8
21	260	6.4						2.6	2.9
22	280	5.8						2.7	2.9
23	310	5.4						2.3	2.5

Time: 105.0°W.

Sweep: 0.8 Mc to 14.0 Mc in 2 minutes.

Table 2

Oslo, Norway (60.0°N, 11.0°E)								August 1949	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	290	4.8							
01	295	4.9							2.3
02	300	4.1							2.4
03	300	3.9							2.4
04	280	3.8	---	---					2.7
05	250	4.7	---	---					2.7
06	262	5.4	240	4.0	110	2.6		2.5	
07	275	6.0	240	4.0	110	2.6		3.2	
08	318	6.3	230	4.2	110	2.9		3.6	
09	315	6.5	220	4.5	105	3.0		3.8	
10	325	6.7	215	4.7	105	3.1		4.0	
11	325	6.9	210	4.7	105	3.3		4.0	
12	352	6.8	210	4.8	100	3.4		3.7	
13	365	6.8	215	4.9	100	3.4		3.6	
14	342	6.9	215	4.7	105	3.4		3.5	
15	322	6.9	220	4.5	105	3.2			
16	310	7.0	230	4.5	105	3.1			
17	285	7.1	240	---	110	2.8		3.1	
18	255	7.2	242	---	115	2.4		2.8	
19	280	6.9	250	---	130	2.0		2.7	
20	250	6.5	---	---					2.0
21	250	6.5	---	---					
22	252	5.9	---	---					
23	270	5.3	---	---					

Time: 15.0°E.

Sweep: 1.6 Mc to 10.0 Mc in 5 minutes, automatic operation.

Table 4

San Francisco, California (37.4°N, 122.2°W)								August 1949	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	310	5.2							2.8
01	305	5.2							2.7
02	300	5.1							2.7
03	300	5.0							2.4
04	300	4.8							2.7
05	300	4.5							2.5
06	270	5.4	255	2.5	120	2.2		2.9	
07	270	7.0	240	4.0	120	2.9		2.8	
08	310	7.5	230	4.6	120	3.4		2.8	
09	320	8.4	220	5.1	120	(3.7)		2.7	
10	340	8.7	210	5.2	120	(3.8)		2.7	
11	360	9.2	210	5.4	120	4.0		2.7	
12	355	9.3	220	5.2	115	(4.0)		2.7	
13	350	9.4	230	5.3	110	4.0		2.7	
14	340	9.2	235	5.2	110	(4.0)		2.8	
15	335	9.0	230	6.2	110	3.6		2.8	
16	315	8.8	240	4.8	110	(3.4)		2.8	
17	290	8.4	260	4.4	120	3.2		2.9	
18	260	8.2	---	---	120	2.4		2.9	
19	250	7.6	---	---				3.0	
20	250	7.0	---	---				2.8	
21	260	6.4	---	---				2.8	
22	280	5.6	---	---				2.8	
23	300	5.4	---	---				2.4	

Time: 120.0°W.

Sweep: 1.3 Mc to 18.0 Mc in 4 minutes.

Table 6

Baton Rouge, Louisiana (30.6°N, 91.2°W)								August 1949	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	300	5.5							2.9
01	295	6.1							2.8
02	290	4.9							2.9
03	290</td								

Table 7

Maui, Hawaii ( $20.8^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $156.5^{\circ}\text{W}$ )

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M300)F2	August 1949
00	265	(7.8)					1.4	(2.9)	
01	260	(7.8)					1.5	3.0	
02	230	7.0						3.0	
03	240	6.6						3.0	
04	240	5.8						3.0	
05	240	5.2						3.0	
06	270	5.1	---	---	100	1.6		2.9	
07	240	6.8	---	---	100	2.4		3.1	
08	240	7.6	210	4.4	100	3.0	4.0	3.0	
09	300	8.2	200	5.2	100	3.5	4.2	2.7	
10	350	9.0	200	5.4	100	3.6	3.9	2.5	
11	390	10.2	200	5.7	100	3.9	4.0	2.5	
12	400	(11.1)	200	5.5	100	4.0	4.2	(2.6)	
13	390	11.4	205	5.6	100	4.0	4.3	2.7	
14	370	(11.6)	205	5.4	100	4.0	4.2	(2.8)	
15	350	12.6	210	5.4	100	3.7	4.6	2.8	
16	315	(12.7)	220	5.0	100	3.4	4.9	(2.9)	
17	300	(12.1)	220	4.8	100	3.0	4.5	(3.0)	
18	250	(11.3)	240	—	100	2.3	4.5	(3.0)	
19	240	10.7	—	—			4.7	3.0	
20	250	(10.6)	—	—			4.0	(3.0)	
21	250	(10.2)	—	—			2.4	(2.8)	
22	280	9.1	—	—			1.7	2.8	
23	280	8.0	—	—			2.1	2.8	

Time:  $150.0^{\circ}\text{W}$ .

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 9

Guam I. ( $13.6^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $144.9^{\circ}\text{E}$ )

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M300)F2	August 1949
00	275	(9.2)					(3.0)		
01	245	7.1					3.0		
02	250	6.6					2.8		
03	250	7.0					3.0		
04	240	5.8					1.6	3.1	
05	230	5.0						3.2	
06	250	4.6	---	---			2.1	3.1	
07	250	7.2	220	2.7	120	2.5	3.0	3.1	
08	260	8.9	220	—	110	3.2	3.9	3.0	
09	300	9.8	210	—	100	3.6	5.0	2.8	
10	345	10.2	210	5.0	110	3.8	4.8	2.5	
11	375	10.6	200	5.0	110	4.0		2.5	
12	395	(10.2)	200	5.2	105	(4.0)		2.3	
13	400	(10.4)	200	(5.0)	—	—	(2.4)		
14	380	(10.6)	210	5.2	110	4.0	(2.5)		
15	360	(12.0)	215	5.2	110	3.9		2.6	
16	360	(11.8)	220	—	110	3.6	4.7	(2.7)	
17	360	(11.3)	230	—	110	—	5.0	2.8	
18	370	(11.3)	255	—	—	—	5.0	(2.7)	
19	315	(11.0)	—	—	—	—	2.2	(2.8)	
20	350	(10.2)	—	—	—	—	(2.6)		
21	300	(9.8)	—	—	—	—			
22	290	(9.7)	—	—	—	—	1.6	(2.9)	
23	300	(8.2)	—	—	—	—	2.0	—	

Time:  $150.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ .

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 11

Palmyra I. ( $5.9^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $162.1^{\circ}\text{W}$ )

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M300)F2	August 1949
00	250	10.7						2.8	
01	250	10.2						2.8	
02	250	9.2						2.9	
03	250	8.3					1.7	2.9	
04	240	6.6					2.0	3.0	
05	250	4.6					2.0	3.0	
06	275	4.4			150	1.3	2.0	2.8	
07	250	7.0			120	2.5	3.2	2.8	
08	250	8.6	---	---	115	3.2		2.6	
09	240	9.2	225	—	120	3.6		2.4	
10	370	9.6	220	5.0	120	3.8		2.3	
11	390	10.0	220	5.1	120	3.8		2.2	
12	390	10.4	210	—	120	—		2.2	
13	410	10.8	220	5.3	120	—		2.2	
14	400	11.4	220	5.3	120	4.0		2.2	
15	390	11.5	220	5.0	120	3.7		2.2	
16	340	11.4	230	—	120	3.5		2.3	
17	250	11.2	---	---	120	3.0	3.7	2.3	
18	280	11.1	—	—	120	2.1	3.8	2.3	
19	330	10.5	—	—	—	—	3.0	2.2	
20	350	9.7	—	—	—	—	2.2		
21	310	10.0	—	—	—	—	2.4		
22	275	10.0	—	—	—	—	2.2		
23	250	11.5	—	—	—	—	1.8	2.7	

Time:  $157.5^{\circ}\text{W}$ .

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 13.0 Mc in 1 minute 36 seconds, automatic operation; 13.0 Mc to 18.0 Mc, manual operation.

Table 8

San Juan, Puerto Rico ( $18.4^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $66.1^{\circ}\text{W}$ )

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M300)F2	August 1949
00	305	8.3							2.6
01	290	8.3							2.6
02	290	7.8							2.6
03	290	7.1							2.6
04	265	6.4							2.7
05	—	6.0							2.7
06	280	6.2							2.7
07	280	7.1							2.9
08	300	8.1					4.6	3.2	2.8
09	330	8.6					5.2	3.7	2.7
10	350	9.8					5.5	—	2.6
11	380	10.4					5.5	—	2.6
12	365	11.1					5.5	4.0	2.6
13	365	11.7						4.2	(5.9)
14	350	11.5					5.5	(4.0)	2.6
15	350	11.5					5.3	3.8	2.5
16	750	11.3					4.9	3.6	5.0
17	340	10.9						3.2	4.4
18	310	10.2							3.7
19	290	10.0							2.6
20	300	9.3							2.5
21	300	8.9							2.6
22	310	8.5							2.5
23	320	8.2							2.5

Time:  $60.0^{\circ}\text{W}$ .

Sweep: 2.8 Mc to 13.0 Mc in 9 minutes, automatic operation; supplemented by manual operation.

Table 10

Trinidad, Brit. West Indies ( $10.6^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $61.2^{\circ}\text{W}$ )

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M300)F2	August 1949
00	260	10.4							3.0
01	250	9.4							3.1
02	250	8.2							3.0
03	250	7.4							3.0
04	250	7.1							3.1
05	250	6.4							3.0
06	260	6.5							3.1
07	240	7.3	—	—	120	2.7	3.2	3.3	
08	260	8.2	220	(4.7)	120	3.3	3.9	3.1	
09	300	9.1	220	5.2	120	3.7	4.4	2.9	
10	325	10.1	220	5.4	120	4.0	4.6	2.7	
11	340	11.5	220	5.5	120	4.2	4.8	2.8	
12	340	12.2	220	5.7	120	4.2	5.0	2.8	
13	340	12.8	220	5.7	120	4.2	5.5	2.8	
14	330	12.6	220	5.7	120	4.1	5.6	2.8	
15	320	12.4	220	5.4	120	4.1	5.6	2.8	
16	300	11.8	230	5.1	120	3.4	5.0	2.8	
17	280	11.2	230	4.4	120	2.9	4.6	2.8	
18	270	10.9	—	—	120	2.0	4.4	2.8	
19	270	10.3	—	—	—	—	3.8	2.8	
20	270	10.6	—	—	—	—		2.8	
21	280	10.8	—	—	—	—		2.8	
22	280	10.8	—	—	—	—		2.8	
23	270	10.4	—	—	—	—		2.9	

Time:  $60.0^{\circ}\text{W}$ .

Sweep: 1.5 Mc to 18.0 Mc, manual operation.

Table 12

Huancayo, Peru ( $12.0^{\circ}\text{S}$ ,  $75.3^{\circ}\text{W}$ )

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M300)F2	August 1949
00	230	7.6							3.1
01	230	7.1							3.2
02	240	6.2							3.1
03	240	5.8							3.1
04	250	4.8</td							

Table 13

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	280	6.8				3.4		
01	280	6.4				3.4		
02	280	6.1				3.1		
03	290	5.8				3.3		
04	270	5.8			100	1.2	3.4	
05	270	6.4	240		110	1.9	3.6	
06	300	6.8	230	4.1	100	2.4	3.9	
07	300	7.5	230	4.6	100	2.8	4.4	
08	310	7.2	220	4.7	100	3.1		
09	320	7.4	210	5.0	100	3.3		
10	340	7.6	210	5.1	100	3.4	5.6	
11	340	7.6	210	5.2	100	3.5	5.6	
12	340	7.6	220	5.2	100	3.6		
13	350	7.4	220	5.4	100	3.6		
14	350	7.3	220	5.2	100	3.6		
15	350	7.1	210	5.0	100	3.4		
16	340	7.1	220	4.9	100	3.3		
17	300	7.2	210	4.6	100	3.0		
18	300	7.1	220	4.3	100	2.8	4.3	
19	270	7.6	240		110	2.3	4.0	
20	260	7.7			100	1.8	3.6	
21	260	7.6				4.2		
22	260	7.5				3.5		
23	250	7.4				3.2		

Time: 15.0° E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 12 minutes.

Table 15

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	---	2.6					2.9	
01	---	3.7					2.8	
02	---	2.8					2.8	
03	(250)	3.0					2.9	
04	250	2.9					3.0	
05	(250)	2.7					3.0	
06	(240)	2.7	---	---			2.9	
07	(250)	2.7	---	---	---	E	2.9	
08	230	5.6	---	---	---	(1.8)	3.2	
09	230	(7.6)	225	---	110	2.5	3.3	
10	240	(8.0)	220	---	110	(3.0)	3.2	
11	255	(8.5)	210	---	110	(3.2)	(3.2)	
12	260	(8.8)	200	---	110	---	(3.0)	
13	270	9.5	210	---	110	---	3.0	
14	270	9.8	220	---	110	---	3.0	
15	260	9.4	230	---	110	(3.0)	3.0	
16	255	9.4	240	---	110	2.8	3.2	
17	240	9.5	---	---	110	2.5	2.6	
18	230	7.5	---	---	---	---	(3.2)	
19	220	(5.7)	---	---	---	---	(3.2)	
20	220	4.0				---	(3.2)	
21	220	2.8				---	3.2	
22	(240)	2.5				---	3.0	
23	(260)	2.4				---	2.9	

Time: 30.0° E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc in 7 seconds.

Table 17

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	300	7.3				2.9	2.6	
01	300	7.0				2.4	2.6	
02	300	7.1				2.7	2.7	
03	300	6.7				1.9	2.6	
04	295	6.7	---	---	---	1.8	1.9	2.6
05	300	7.2	260	3.6	100	2.3	3.1	2.7
06	320	7.8	255	4.4	100	2.8	4.1	2.8
07	335	8.1	260	4.5	100	3.2	5.2	2.8
08	325	8.2	260	4.9	100	3.5	5.5	2.8
09	340	7.9	220	5.0	100	3.6	6.0	(2.8)
10	380	7.7	215	5.0	100	3.7	5.8	2.7
11	390	8.0	220	5.2	100	(3.6)	5.8	(2.7)
12	390	8.0	250	5.2	100	3.8	5.6	2.6
13	390	7.8	260	5.2	100	(3.7)	5.4	2.7
14	390	7.6	240	5.0	100	3.7	5.5	2.6
15	370	7.8	245	5.0	100	3.5	5.2	2.7
16	340	7.9	250	4.7	100	3.3	4.9	2.8
17	315	7.8	250	(4.5)	100	2.9	5.1	2.9
18	310	7.4	260	---	105	2.4	5.4	2.8
19	300	7.9	250	---	110	(1.8)	4.2	2.8
20	300	7.5				3.8	2.8	
21	295	(7.5)				3.7	2.7	
22	300	7.1				3.3	2.7	
23	300	7.2				3.4	2.6	

Time: 135.0° E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 17.0 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 14

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	(260)					2.8		1.8
01	(280)					2.9		2.8
02	(270)					3.0		1.7
03	(250)					2.9		3.0
04	(240)					2.8		3.7
05	(250)					2.6		2.4
06	(250)					2.7		3.0
07	(230)					5.1		3.4
08	(230)					7.4		3.3
09	(240)					8.2		3.3
10	(250)					9.0		3.0
11	(250)					9.2		3.2
12	(260)					9.1		3.6
13	(260)					9.2		3.0
14	(270)					9.3		3.8
15	(260)					9.0		3.0
16	(250)					8.9		3.0
17	(230)					9.2		3.0
18	(210)					7.4		2.5
19	(220)					5.0		2.4
20	(230)					3.9		2.0
21	(240)					3.1		3.1
22	(260)					2.9		1.6
23	(250)					2.9		2.9

Time: 30.0° E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc in 7 seconds.

Table 16

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	290	7.1						2.4
01	300	6.9						2.0
02	290	6.6						2.0
03	295	6.4						2.0
04	300	6.3						2.4
05	280	6.8	260	3.3	100	1.6		2.4
06	300	7.2	240	4.0	100	2.4		3.0
07	310	7.2	230	4.5	100	2.9		2.9
08	340	7.3	220	4.8	100	3.2		3.8
09	350	7.5	210	5.0	100	3.4		4.8
10	370	7.5	210	5.0	100	3.5		4.8
11	360	7.6	210	5.2	100	3.6		4.9
12	390	7.4	210	5.3	100	3.6		4.6
13	370	7.6	210	5.3	100	3.5		5.3
14	350	7.2	210	5.2	100	3.6		4.6
15	360	7.1	210	5.2	100	3.4		4.4
16	360	7.1	230	5.0	100	3.4		3.8
17	350	7.1	230	4.8	100	3.1		3.6
18	310	7.2	240	4.4	100	2.8		4.5
19	290	7.6	250	3.8	100	2.4		3.8
20	270	7.7				---		3.5
21	250	8.0				---		3.2
22	260	7.8				---		2.0
23	270	7.5				---		2.6

Time: 135.0° E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 17.0 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 19

Shibata, Japan (37.9°N, 139.3°E)

June 1949

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	300	8.3					3.7	2.8
01	280	8.4					3.6	2.8
02	270	8.0					3.5	2.9
03	260	7.8					3.6	2.8
04	255	7.3					3.2	2.9
05	270	7.6	225	---	115	2.0	3.7	3.0
06	270	8.6	210	---	100	2.7	4.8	2.9
07	275	8.4	210	4.4	100	3.2	5.6	3.0
08	280	8.2	220	5.0	100	3.4	6.9	3.0
09	300	8.4	220	---	100	3.6	8.8	2.9
10	330	8.4	230	5.6	100	3.8	7.6	2.8
11	330	8.8	205	5.5	100	4.0	9.0	2.8
12	340	9.0	210	5.4	100	---	8.5	2.8
13	330	8.8	205	5.4	100	---	7.4	2.8
14	320	9.2	200	5.4	100	3.8	7.3	2.9
15	310	9.3	205	5.2	100	3.6	6.0	2.9
16	300	9.1	220	4.8	100	3.3	6.5	2.9
17	295	9.3	215	4.4	100	3.1	6.0	3.0
18	270	9.0	230	---	100	2.4	5.1	3.0
19	250	8.9	---	---	---	1.9	3.9	3.0
20	255	8.5					4.0	2.9
21	270	8.5					4.2	2.7
22	290	8.4					4.4	2.8
23	290	8.4					4.4	2.8

Time: 135.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 17.0 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 20.

Tokyo, Japan (35.7°N, 139.5°E)

June 1949

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	300	8.5						4.9
01	285	8.5						4.2
02	275	8.0						4.3
03	260	7.9						4.1
04	275	7.5	---	---	---	---	---	2.8
05	250	7.6	240	---	100	1.8	3.6	3.0
06	270	8.5	230	4.4	100	2.7	4.0	3.0
07	280	8.4	240	4.4	100	3.2	5.3	3.0
08	300	8.3	245	5.0	100	3.4	6.6	2.9
09	330	8.4	250	5.1	100	3.6	8.0	2.8
10	350	8.8	250	5.6	100	3.8	8.0	2.7
11	355	9.2	230	5.6	100	3.8	8.7	2.8
12	330	9.4	220	5.7	100	3.8	7.3	2.9
13	330	9.7	210	5.5	100	3.8	6.4	2.8
14	330	9.8	230	5.4	100	3.8	6.1	2.8
15	330	9.8	230	5.2	100	3.6	5.5	2.9
16	310	9.8	220	5.0	100	3.3	5.2	2.9
17	300	9.5	230	(4.6)	100	2.9	5.6	2.9
18	270	9.4	220	---	100	2.2	4.5	3.0
19	260	9.3	---	---	---	---	4.4	3.0
20	270	8.5					4.1	2.8
21	280	8.4					4.3	2.8
22	300	8.5					5.2	2.8
23	300	8.7					5.4	2.7

Time: 135.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 17.0 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 21

Yamakawa, Japan (31.2°N, 130.6°E)

June 1949

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	310	9.2					4.2	2.7
01	300	9.2					4.6	2.7
02	295	9.3					4.6	2.8
03	280	8.4					3.6	2.8
04	280	7.6					3.8	2.8
05	280	7.4					3.4	2.8
06	260	7.4	250	---	105	2.1	3.6	3.0
07	270	8.2	230	---	110	2.8	4.4	3.0
08	280	8.3	235	---	100	3.3	5.2	2.9
09	320	8.6	225	---	100	3.4	7.0	2.8
10	340	9.0	210	5.3	105	(3.6)	6.6	2.6
11	400	9.6	210	5.5	100	3.7	7.2	2.6
12	350	9.8	(210)	5.6	100	(3.9)	6.8	2.6
13	380	10.3	215	5.6	110	4.0	8.0	2.6
14	380	10.5	220	5.5	110	3.8	6.2	2.7
15	350	10.7	230	5.4	110	3.7	5.6	2.7
16	340	11.0	235	5.2	100	3.6	6.2	2.8
17	320	10.9	250	4.9	100	3.2	4.8	2.8
18	300	10.6	240	---	100	2.7	4.6	2.8
19	290	10.2	260	---	(2.0)	4.8	2.9	
20	270	8.8					4.5	2.8
21	290	8.8					4.2	2.6
22	310	8.9					4.2	2.7
23	310	9.0					4.4	2.7

Time: 135.0°E.

Sweep: 1.2 Mc to 18.5 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 22

Chungking, China (29.4°N, 106.8°E)

June 1949

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	290	9.2						5.0
01	260	8.8						5.6
02	260	8.2						4.8
03	260	7.1						4.3
04	280	6.8						4.5
05	270	6.8						4.5
06	260	7.6	230	---	---	---	---	5.8
07	280	8.9	230	---	---	---	---	6.3
08	300	9.6	220	---	---	---	---	8.0
09	310	10.0	215	5.4	---	---	---	9.0
10	340	10.3	210	5.8	---	---	---	6.9
11	380	11.1	210	5.8	---	---	---	7.8
12	375	11.5	210	5.8	105	4.5	6.8	2.4
13	360	12.0	200	5.6	---	---	---	6.0
14	350	12.5	200	5.6	---	---	---	5.4
15	320	12.6	200	5.5	80	3.8	5.8	2.8
16	300	12.5	200	5.0	80	3.4	5.0	2.8
17	280	11.7	200	4.6	80	3.2	5.6	2.8
18	280	11.5	230	---	---	---	---	4.8
19	240	11.2						3.6
20	260	9.6						4.1
21	280	9.2						4.1
22	290	9.6						4.8
23	300	9.5						5.0

Time: 135.0°E.

Sweep: 1.5 Mc to 20.0 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 23

Watheroo, W. Australia (30.3°S, 116.9°E)

June 1949

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	270	3.6					2.9	2.8
01	270	3.7					2.8	2.8
02	260	3.6					2.9	2.8
03	260	3.8					2.8	2.8
04	240	3.8					2.9	3.0
05	235	3.6					2.9	3.0
06	230	3.3					3.1	3.0
07	230	4.9			1.8	2.8	3.2	2.9
08	240	8.4	220	4.5	2.9	3.3	3.4	3.3
09	260	9.6	230	5.0	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.3
10	220	9.5	220	5.0	3.3	3.6	3.3	3.2
11	250	9.5	220	5.0	3.3	3.8	3.2	3.2
12	250	9.5	220	5.0	3.3	3.8	3.2	3.1
13	260	9.7	220	5.0	3.3	3.8	3.1	3.0
14	250	9.6	220	5.0	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.0
15	250	9.8	230	5.0	3.0	3.4	3.2	3.0
16	230	9.6	225	4.6	2.6	3.3	3.2	3.1
17	230	8.9			1.8	3.3	3.2	3.2
18	210	6.9			3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2
19	220	5.2			2.9	3.2	3.0	3.1
20	230	4.1			3.0	3.2	3.1	3.0
21	240	3.7			3.0	3.1	3.1	3.0
22	255	3.3			2.8	2.8	2.8	3.1
23	250	3.5			2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9

Time: 120.0°E.

Sweep: 16.0 Mc to 0.5 Mc in 15 minutes, automatic operation.

Table 24

Capetown, Union of S. Africa (34.2°S, 18.3°E)

June 1949

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	---	2.3						2.8
01	(300)	2.4						2.8
02	(280)	2.6						2.7
03	(280)	2.7						2.8
04	(270)	2.7						2.9
05	(260)	2.7						3.0
06	(270)	2.7						2.9
07	(250)	2.6						2.9
08	230	5.6					(1.9)	3.3
09	230	7.4	230	---	110	2.5		3.3
10	240	8.7	230	3.4	110	(3.0)		3.3
11	250	9.						

Table 25

Christchurch, New Zealand ( $43.5^{\circ}\text{S}$ ,  $172.7^{\circ}\text{E}$ )

Time	June 1949						
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	300	3.5			3.8	2.6	
01	300	3.6			3.6	2.7	
02	300	3.7			4.4	2.6	
03	300	3.7			4.4	2.6	
04	290	3.6			4.2	2.7	
05	270	3.5			4.4	2.9	
06	260	3.2			4.4	2.8	
07	250	3.4			3.7	3.0	
08	240	6.4			1.5	4.4	3.2
09	240	8.0	—	—	2.3	4.4	3.2
10	250	8.8	—	—	2.7	5.0	3.3
11	240	9.0	230	4.0	2.9	4.6	3.2
12	250	8.8	240	4.3	3.0	5.0	3.1
13	250	9.4	250	4.2	3.0	4.9	3.0
14	250	9.4	250	3.8	2.7	6.1	3.2
15	250	9.0	—	—	2.4	5.4	3.1
16	240	8.4	—	—	1.7	4.4	3.1
17	240	6.8	—	—	3.8	3.0	
18	250	5.6				4.4	2.8
19	260	5.6				4.0	2.8
20	270	5.0				3.6	2.9
21	280	4.4				3.5	2.7
22	300	4.3				3.0	2.7
23	290	3.8				3.0	2.6

Time:  $172.5^{\circ}\text{E}$ .

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 13.0 Mc.

Table 27

Delhi, India ( $28.5^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $77.1^{\circ}\text{E}$ )

Time	May 1949						
	*	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	440	10.2					2.6
01	430	9.5					
02	—	—					
03	—	—					
04	—	—					2.5
05	400	8.8					
06	380	9.5					
07	360	10.2					
08	380	10.6					2.6
09	400	11.2					
10	420	12.1					
11	460	12.7					
12	—	(13.2)					2.4
13	(410)	(13.3)					
14	—	(13.3)					
15	—	(12.9)					
16	—	(12.7)					2.6
17	—	(12.7)					
18	—	(12.5)					
19	(400)	(11.5)					
20	415	(10.9)					2.5
21	440	(10.5)					
22	460	10.0					2.4
23	445	9.9					

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

\*\*Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 29

Madras, India ( $13.0^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $80.2^{\circ}\text{E}$ )

Time	May 1949						
	*	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00							
01							
02							
03							
04							
05							
06							
07	420	10.1					
08	435	10.8					2.5
09	480	11.4					
10	540	11.7					
11	540	12.2					
12	540	12.6					2.3
13	540	13.0					
14	540	(13.5)					
15	540	13.8					
16	540	(14.0)					2.3
17	540	(13.6)					
18	540	(13.0)					
19	540	(12.6)					
20	510	(11.8)					2.4
21	—	(11.4)					
22	—	11.0					
23	—	—					

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

\*\*Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 26

Lanchow, China ( $36.1^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $103.8^{\circ}\text{E}$ )

Time	May 1949						
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	340	8.2					3.6
01	340	8.4					3.7
02	340	8.8					3.8
03	340	7.7					3.2
04	340	7.2					2.4
05	340	7.3					2.6
06	320	8.3					3.4
07	320	10.5	300	—	140	2.9	2.5
08	340	11.2	320	—	140	3.4	2.6
09	360	11.5	320	—	—	—	2.5
10	380	11.5	320	—	—	—	2.5
11	380	12.5	355	—	—	—	2.3
12	380	13.2	350	—	—	—	(5.2)
13	380	13.5	330	—	—	—	2.4
14	380	13.2	330	—	—	—	2.4
15	380	13.5	340	—	—	—	2.4
16	360	12.3	300	—	—	—	2.4
17	350	13.0	320	—	140	3.5	2.5
18	350	11.5	300	—	—	—	2.5
19	310	11.8	—	—	—	—	2.5
20	290	(10.0)	—	—	—	—	(4.5)
21	290	8.9	—	—	—	—	(4.1)
22	320	9.4	—	—	—	—	2.4
23	330	9.0	—	—	—	—	2.4

Time:  $105.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ .

Sweep: 2.4 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 28

Bombay, India ( $19.0^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $73.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ )

Time	May 1949						
	*	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00							
01							
02							
03							
04							
05							
06	330	9.7					
07	—	—					
08	420	11.9					
09	480	13.2					
10	510	(13.9)					
11	510	(14.3)					
12	—	—					
13	—	—					
14	—	(14.7)					
15	—	(14.9)					
16	—	(15.1)					
17	—	(15.2)					
18	—	(14.9)					
19	480	(14.6)					
20	480	14.3					
21	480	13.8					
22	480	13.4					
23	—	—					

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

\*\*Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 30

Tiruchirappalli, India ( $10.8^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $78.8^{\circ}\text{E}$ )

Time	May 1949						
	*	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00							
01							
02							
03							
04							
05							
06	360	9.0					
07	350	9.9					
08	420	11.5					
09	510	11.6					
10	540	11.3					
11	540	11.2					
12	540	11.5					
13	580	11.0					
14	600	11.0					
15	620	12.2					
16	550	12.2					
17	585	12.6					
18	540	12.3					
19	580	12.2					
20	540	11.8					
21	510	11.5					
22	500	11.8					
23	—	—					

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

Table 31

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)							*	April 1949
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	(240)	(12.4)			1.2		(2.8)	
01		(11.2)			1.2			
02		(10.1)			1.3			
03	---	(9.0)			1.1		---	
04		---			---			
05		---			---			
06	(240)	(8.6)			2.0		(2.9)	
07		10.6			3.1			
08		11.0			3.6			
09	270	12.4			3.8		2.7	
10		12.6			4.0			
11		12.6			4.0			
12	(240)	12.5			3.9		2.8	
13		12.5			---			
14		12.5			---			
15	---	12.6			---		---	
16		12.6			3.8			
17		12.5			3.4			
18	(240)	12.5			3.2		(2.8)	
19		(11.8)			---			
20		(12.4)			2.0			
21	240	12.0			1.5		2.8	
22		12.2			1.4			
23		12.3			1.2			

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 32

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)							*	March 1949
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	240	13.0				1.3		2.8
01		12.4				1.1		
02		11.3				1.1		
03	(210)	8.4				1.1	(3.1)	
04		---				---		
05		(7.8)				1.1		
06	---	(9.1)				2.1		
07		11.0				2.7		
08		12.4				3.2		
09	270	12.8				4.2		2.8
10		13.2				4.0		
11		13.2				4.1		
12	---	13.1				---	(2.6)	
13		(13.1)				---		
14		13.2				---		
15	---	13.1				---		
16		13.0				3.8		
17		13.0				3.4		
18	270	13.0				3.0		2.8
19		12.6				2.9		
20		12.4				2.5		
21	(310)	(12.8)				1.5		(2.8)
22		13.0				1.3		
23		14.0				1.4		

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 33

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)							*	August 1948
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	330	10.2			2.7		2.7	
01		9.6			2.4			
02		8.7			2.2			
03	300	(8.2)			2.5		(2.7)	
04		7.4			2.2			
05		7.6			2.2			
06	360	8.2			2.7		2.7	
07		8.9			3.0			
08		9.8			3.6			
09	360	10.8			4.2		2.7	
10		11.0			4.2			
11		11.2			4.5			
12	390	11.1			4.5		2.4	
13		11.2			---			
14		11.2			---			
15	390	11.2			---		(2.7)	
16		11.1			4.5			
17		11.0			4.4			
18	360	11.2			4.2		2.7	
19		11.1			3.8			
20		11.0			3.0			
21	360	11.0			3.0		2.7	
22		10.9			3.1			
23		10.6			2.9			

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 34

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)							*	July 1948
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	345	9.9				2.0		2.8
01		9.8				1.9		
02		(8.9)				2.0		
03	---	(7.6)				2.0		
04		---				---		
05		(6.8)				2.0		
06	330	7.2				2.6		2.8
07		8.0				3.2		
08		9.2				3.8		
09	360	10.4				4.0		2.7
10		11.0				4.0		
11		11.2				4.2		
12	(390)	11.0				---		2.6
13		11.0				---		
14		11.1				---		
15	360	11.2				4.0		2.6
16		11.0				4.0		
17		11.0				3.6		
18	360	11.0				3.3		2.7
19		10.8				3.2		
20		10.9				3.2		
21	(360)	10.9				3.0		2.8
22		10.5				2.9		
23		10.0				2.0		

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 36

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)							*	May 1948
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	390	10.6				3.7		2.6
01		10.2				3.8		
02		9.3				3.5		
03	(400)	8.2				3.2		(2.4)
04		7.6				2.6		
05		7.8				2.8		
06	(375)	9.0				3.0		(2.5)
07		9.7				3.6		
08		10.6				3.9		
09	---	10.8				4.4		
10		11.0				4.2		
11		11.0				---		
12	---	11.0				---		
13		11.0				---		
14		(11.0)				---		
15	---	(11.0)				---		
16		11.0				---		
17		11.0				6.7		
18	(390)	11.0				6.1		(2.7)
19		11.0				4.7		
20		11.0				4.6		
21	375	10.9				4.6		(2.6)
22		10.8				4.4		
23		10.8				3.9		

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 37

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)						
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE fEs (M3000)F2
00	360	9.8			2.7	2.7
01		9.2			2.4	
02		8.4			2.4	
03	(390)	(8.0)			2.2	(2.4)
04		7.4			1.9	
05		7.4			2.0	
06	(360)	8.8			2.6	(2.7)
07		10.0			3.2	
08		10.4			3.6	
09	(390)	10.8			3.6	(2.6)
10		10.8			4.5	
11		11.0			---	
12	---	11.0			---	
13		11.0			---	
14		11.0			---	
15	(345)	11.0			---	(2.7)
16		10.9			---	
17		10.9			4.6	
18	(360)	10.8			4.8	(2.6)
19		10.8			3.6	
20		10.8			3.8	
21	(390)	10.8			3.1	(2.9)
22		10.7			3.4	
23		10.5			3.3	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 39

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)						
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE fEs (M3000)F2
00	330	10.0			2.2	3.6
01		8.5			2.8	
02		7.8			2.0	
03	300	6.8			2.4	2.6
04		5.8			2.2	
05	(6.0)				1.9	
06	330	7.2			2.2	2.7
07		7.9			2.8	
08		9.7			3.0	
09	360	10.9			3.9	2.6
10		11.0			4.0	
11	(11.0)				4.2	
12	360	11.0			4.2	2.6
13		11.0			4.2	
14		11.0			3.8	
15	330	11.0			3.6	2.5
16		11.0			3.4	
17	(11.0)				3.4	
18	300	(10.9)			3.5	(2.5)
19	(11.0)				3.3	
20	(11.0)				3.0	
21	300	(10.9)			2.8	(2.6)
22		10.6			2.6	
23		(10.6)			2.6	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 41

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)						
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE fEs (M3000)F2
00	270	9.5			1.8	2.7
01		8.4			1.7	
02		8.2			1.6	
03	270	7.4			1.6	2.8
04		6.4			1.6	
05		6.6			1.8	
06	300	7.5			2.0	3.0
07		9.0			2.6	
08		11.8			3.0	
09	330	11.2			3.4	2.8
10		11.6			4.0	
11	(11.6)				4.2	
12	352	11.6			4.2	2.8
13		11.6			4.2	
14		11.6			4.2	
15	240	11.6			4.2	2.6
16		11.7			3.2	
17		11.6			2.9	
18	300	11.7			2.7	---
19		11.5			2.6	
20		11.2			2.4	
21	240	10.5			2.2	3.0
22		10.8			2.1	
23		10.0			1.6	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 38

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)						
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE fEs (M3000)F2
00	300	9.7			1.8	3.6
01		8.7			2.0	
02		8.2			2.0	
03	330	7.0			1.9	2.7
04					5.0	
05					6.3	
06	300	7.1			2.0	
07		8.8			3.0	
08		10.0			3.2	
09	300	10.8			3.7	2.6
10		11.0			4.2	
11		11.4			4.6	
12	360	11.6			5.0	3.4
13		12.0			4.3	
14	(11.7)				4.0	
15	360	11.5			3.6	2.6
16		11.3			3.6	
17		11.2			3.4	
18	360	11.0			3.0	2.6
19		10.8			2.5	
20		10.7			2.1	
21	300	10.6			2.0	2.6
22		10.5			2.0	
23		10.1			1.9	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 40

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)						
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE fEs (M3000)F2
00	270	10.0			2.4	2.7
01		8.3			2.2	
02		8.6			2.2	
03	300	7.3			2.0	2.6
04					2.0	
05					4.9	
06	300	(7.6)			2.4	3.6
07		9.0			2.8	
08		10.6			3.6	
09	315	11.6			3.8	2.6
10		11.8			4.0	
11		11.6			4.0	
12	360	11.6			3.8	2.4
13		11.6			4.1	
14		11.7			4.2	
15	390	11.1			4.0	2.4
16		11.0			3.6	
17		11.0			3.3	
18	360	11.4			2.8	2.6
19		11.2			2.6	
20		11.0			2.6	
21	270	11.2			2.5	2.6
22		11.0			2.5	
23		10.6			2.2	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 42

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)						
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE fFs (M3000)F2
00	(330)	11.0			2.2	(2.6)
01		11.5			2.2	
02		11.2			2.0	
03	295	9.4			2.0	2.7
04					2.2	
05					2.5	
06	285	9.2			2.6	2.8
07		10.8			3.0	
08		11.8			3.2	
09	--	11.7			3.6	(2.6)
10		11.8			4.1	
11		11.9			4.0	
12	(330)	11.9			4.7	(2.8)
13		12.0			4.5	
14		12.0			4.0	
15	330	11.8			3.9	2.6
16		11.8			3.6	
17		11.9			3.2	
18	330	11.8			3.2	2.7
19		11.8			3.0	
20		11.7			2.6	
21	300	11.5			2.5	2.8
22		11.7			2.4	
23		11.6			2.6	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fFs observations.

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)

Table 43

Time	September 1947					
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE
						fEs
						(M3000)F2
00	320	9.6			2.6	2.7
01		8.6			2.0	
02		8.1			2.0	
03	320	7.8			1.8	2.6
04		(7.2)			2.7	
05		7.3			2.1	
06	340	8.4			2.6	
07		9.6			3.0	
08		10.2			3.6	
09	---	11.0			4.2	---
10		11.2			4.4	
11		11.2			---	
12	---	(11.4)			---	---
13		(10.8)			---	
14		(11.5)			---	
15	---	(11.4)			---	
16		11.3			4.2	
17		11.4			4.2	
18	360	10.8			3.8	2.7
19		10.8			3.8	
20		10.8			3.4	
21	330	10.2			3.5	2.6
22		10.2			3.2	
23		9.8			3.2	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)

Table 44

Time	August 1947					
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE
						fEs
						(M3000)F2
00	360	9.8				3.0
01		9.6				2.6
02		9.0				2.2
03	330	8.6				2.0
04		8.2				2.2
05		8.4				2.7
06	330	8.7				3.2
07		9.0				3.4
08		9.2				3.6
09	325	(9.4)				2.6
10		(9.8)				(2.4)
11		---				---
12	---	---				---
13		---				---
14		(11.0)				---
15	345	(10.8)				4.2
16		11.0				4.6
17		11.0				6.2
18	360	10.9				4.7
19		11.2				4.0
20		10.8				4.2
21	420	10.4				4.0
22		10.0				3.8
23		10.0				3.4

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)

Table 45

Time	July 1947					
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE
						fEs
						(M3000)F2
00	330	8.6			2.0	2.3
01		8.0			2.0	
02		7.0			2.0	
03	330	7.0			2.0	2.6
04		(6.5)			2.1	
05		(6.6)			2.6	
06	230	8.0			3.6	2.6
07		8.8			4.2	
08		9.8			6.0	
09	366	10.4			5.3	2.5
10		11.2			6.2	
11		---			---	
12	---	(11.6)			---	
13		(11.6)			---	
14		(11.4)			5.0	
15	365	(11.3)			6.0	2.6
16		(11.4)			4.7	
17		(11.8)			4.5	
18	360	(11.6)			4.9	2.1
19		11.5			4.5	
20		11.1			4.4	
21	390	10.8			3.6	2.4
22		(10.2)			3.0	
23		10.0			2.9	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)

Table 46

Time	June 1947					
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE
						fEs
						(M3000)F2
00	330	8.8				3.4
01		8.6				3.2
02		8.0				1.9
03	330	7.1				2.0
04		7.0				1.8
05		6.9				2.0
06	360	8.1				2.2
07		9.8				3.9
08		10.2				4.2
09	360	10.8				4.8
10		11.3				6.2
11		11.3				---
12	(360)	(11.2)				(2.2)
13		(11.8)				6.3
14		12.0				6.2
15	390	11.8				6.0
16		11.8				4.8
17		12.4				4.2
18	375	11.9				6.0
19		12.0				6.1
20		11.8				3.9
21	390	11.0				3.2
22		11.2				3.0
23		10.8				2.8

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)

Table 47

Time	May 1947					
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE
						fEs
						(M3000)F2
00	300	11.7			1.6	(2.6)
01		(10.8)			1.2	
02		(9.8)			1.4	
03	(300)	8.2			1.2	(2.5)
04		6.9			1.3	
05		(7.3)			2.5	
06	(300)	(9.0)			2.2	(2.6)
07		(10.2)			3.6	
08		(11.0)			4.0	
09	(345)	(11.8)			4.8	2.2
10		(12.0)			6.2	
11		(12.4)			---	
12	390	(12.5)			5.4	2.2
13		(12.6)			---	
14		(12.0)			5.0	
15	(390)	(12.0)			---	(2.3)
16		(12.3)			4.3	
17		(12.5)			4.0	
18	(260)	(12.2)			4.0	(2.3)
19		(11.8)			---	
20		(11.6)			2.2	
21	260	(11.4)			2.9	(2.4)
22		(11.8)			2.1	
23		(11.6)			2.0	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Calcutta, India (22.6°N, 88.4°E)

Table 48

Time	April 1947						
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	
						fEs	
						(M3000)F2	
00	(330)	(13.2)					(2.6)
01		(12.0)					1.6
02		(9.0)					1.6
03		(8.2)					---
04		(7.6)					---
05		(7.4)					1.8
06	(270)	(8.4)					2.6
07		---					3.0
08		---					4.0
09	(300)	(14.0)					4.6
10		---					---
11		(13.2)					---
12	390	13.0					6.1
13		13.6					6.1
14		13.4					---
15	360	(14.0)					4.4
16		(12.9)					4.0
17		(13.9)					---
18	(330)	(14.0)					2.0
19		(14.2)					(2.4)
20		(14.2)					2.8
21	(230)	(14.1)					2.2
22		(14.4)					(2.4)
23		(14.2)					---

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 49

Time	March 1947					
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE
						(M3000)F2
00	(330)	(12.0)			1.0	(2.6)
01		(9.4)				
02		(7.8)			1.1	
03	(360)	(6.8)			1.0	(2.6)
04		(6.0)			1.4	
05		(5.8)			--	
06	(360)	(7.0)			1.9	(2.6)
07		(9.8)			2.4	
08		--			2.8	
09	(260)	(13.0)			3.9	(2.4)
10		(14.0)			4.0	
11		13.0			4.5	
12	390	13.2			4.8	2.4
13		13.5			4.2	
14		13.6			4.2	
15	390	13.4			4.0	2.4
16		14.0			4.0	
17		14.0			3.2	
18	(360)	14.0			3.5	(2.4)
19		(14.4)			3.2	
20		(13.8)			2.6	
21	(360)	(13.6)			1.8	(2.6)
22		(13.8)			1.6	
23		(16.4)			2.0	

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 50

Time	February 1947					
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE
						(M3000)F2
00	360	13.9				1.9
01		13.4				2.1
02		11.6				1.8
03	360	8.4				2.0
04		6.4				1.4
05		--				1.2
06	382	5.4				2.5
07		7.6				2.9
08		10.6				3.0
09	368	13.3				3.2
10		14.7				3.6
11		14.2				3.9
12	480	14.3				4.0
13		14.8				4.0
14		14.8				3.9
15	480	14.8				3.8
16		15.0				3.6
17		15.0				3.6
18	390	15.0				3.5
19		14.9				3.0
20		15.0				2.6
21	390	17.2				2.2
22		15.4				1.8
23		15.1				1.9

Time: Local.

\*Probably includes fEs observations.

Table 51

Time	January 1947					
	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE
						(M3000)F2
00	375	9.6			2.0	(2.9)
01		8.8			2.0	
02		7.9			1.4	
03	338	6.8			1.0	(3.0)
04		6.2			0.9	
05		5.8			--	
06	338	6.2			--	(3.0)
07		8.4			2.3	
08		11.1			3.0	
09	352	12.9			3.6	2.9
10		13.2			3.8	
11		12.6			3.9	
12	450	13.6			4.2	(2.6)
13		13.4			4.0	
14		13.3			4.0	
15	420	13.6			3.7	2.6
16		14.8			3.6	
17		14.2			3.0	
18	390	15.4			3.0	(3.8)
19		14.2			3.0	
20		14.0			2.1	
21	360	14.7			1.9	2.8
22		12.8			1.8	
23		11.6			2.0	

Time: Local.

\*Probably contains fEs observations.

**TABLE 52**  
 Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**

Swedep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min

\* SUPPLEMENTARY DATA FROM

TABLE 53  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.  
IONOSPHERIC DATA

$f_0 F_2$ , Mc  
(Characteristic)       $\text{Mc}$       September, 1949

Observed at Washington, D.C.

Lat. 38°7'N Long. 77°10'W

Day	75°W Mean Time											
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11
1	5.7	5.6	5.2	4.3	4.2	4.4	5.2	6.0	6.8	7.3	(7.2)	7.9
2	(5.4) <sup>J</sup>	(4.9) <sup>J</sup>	(4.8) <sup>J</sup>	4.7	4.4	(4.4) <sup>S</sup>	6.2	7.6	8.5	9.2	10.0	10.3
3	6.4	K(5.6) <sup>F</sup>	K(5.5) <sup>F</sup>	K(5.5) <sup>J</sup>	K(4.8) <sup>J</sup>	K(4.4) <sup>J</sup>	6.2	7.4	8.5	9.2	10.0	10.3
4	6.3	F	(5.8) <sup>J</sup>	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(4.2) <sup>J</sup>	(4.4) <sup>J</sup>	6.2	7.4	8.5	9.2	10.0	10.3
5	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	6.8	6.2	5.4	5.0	4.7	6.0	(7.6)	8.3	9.6	10.0	10.4
6	*6.8	*6.4	*6.3	*5.9	*5.3	*5.3	(6.2)	8.5	8.9	9.6	9.4	9.8
7	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.1) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0)	(6.0)	(5.2)	(4.8)	6.3	*9.9	(9.9)	*9.9	*10.1	*10.2
8	(5.6) <sup>J</sup>	(5.8) <sup>J</sup>	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.1	(5.6)	8.6	*9.5	(9.0)	10.4	10.7
9	*6.6	6.5	6.1	5.4	5.2	4.9	5.8	7.8	9.1	9.5	9.4	9.8
10	6.4	F	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.2	5.0	5.8	7.4	8.1	9.0	9.6
11	6.8	F	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.4	5.6	5.6	6.8	7.4	7.8	9.2
12	6.4	6.2	5.8	5.0	(4.9)	(4.1)	5.0	6.8	7.5	7.8	8.4	9.1
13	K(4.5) <sup>J</sup>	4.7	K(4.6) <sup>J</sup>	(4.2)	(3.9)	(3.5)	(5.7)	(8.2)	(8.7)	9.8	10.3	10.6
14	6.1	F	5.4	4.8	(5.4)	S	5.2	(7.6)	[8.4]	9.5	9.4	9.6
15	5.4	(5.4)	(4.9)	(4.4)	(4.4)	(4.1)	3.6	(4.8)	(5.8)	6.4	6.5	7.2
16	6.1	6.1	5.9	(5.7)	5.4	4.9	5.6	(7.2)	8.6	9.0	9.2	9.7
17	6.2	(6.0)	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.1	(6.4)	8.8	10.0	10.0	10.4	10.6
18	6.8	6.8	6.5	5.8	5.1	4.9	(6.2)	9.0	10.2	10.7	11.0	11.2
19	7.1	6.9	6.6	(5.8)	5.4	5.1	(6.5)	8.3	9.6	(10.3)	10.6	11.0
20	(6.9)	(6.9)	6.4	F	5.7	5.2	4.8	6.4	(9.5)	10.3	11.0	11.4
21	6.4	F	6.5	5.9	F	5.7	F	(5.3)	6.7	9.3	10.6	11.5
22	(6.7)	F	(6.8)	S	6.0	F	5.8	F	(8.8)	10.0	11.8	11.7
23	(6.4)	F	6.8	F	6.5	F	6.1	F	5.6	10.2	11.0	11.4
24	6.8	F	6.6	6.5	6.4	F	6.2	F	6.0	10.4	10.8	11.5
25	(8.2)	S	8.0	K	7.2	K	6.7	K	(6.1)	9.8	11.1	11.5
26	4.3	K(14.1)	4.0	K	3.8	K	(2.8)	(2.5)	(4.7)	7.5	9.4	10.5
27	6.1	5.8	(4.7)	(3.5)	F	(4.1)	F	(4.2)	5.8	8.7	(9.9)	(9.7)
28	(6.7)	F	5.9	F	5.6	F	5.0	F	(4.3)	8.9	(8.1)	(8.8)
29	5.9	F	5.4	F	5.2	F	4.9	F	(4.2)	9.3	10.0	10.7
30	5.9	F	5.9	F	5.1	F	4.9	F	(4.7)	(8.3)	8.8	9.1
31												
Median	6.4	6.1	5.8	5.4	5.2	4.9	5.8	7.8	8.8	9.5	9.8	10.1
Count	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30

\* SUPPLEMENTARY DATA FROM STERLING, VA.  
LAT. 39°0'N, LONG. 77.5°W

Sweep 10 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual □ Automatic X

National Bureau of Standards												
(Institution)												
Calculated by: B.E.B., J.D.												
1	5.7	5.6	5.2	4.3	4.2	4.4	5.2	6.0	6.8	7.3	8.3	8.7
2	(5.4)	(4.9)	(4.8)	4.7	4.4	(4.4)	6.2	7.6	8.5	9.2	10.0	10.3
3	6.4	K(5.6)	K(5.5)	J	J	K(4.8)	J	K(4.1)	J	K(3.6)	K(4.3)	K(4.7)
4	6.3	F	(5.8)	J	(5.2)	F	(4.4)	J	(3.7)	J	(3.4)	J
5	(5.2)	F	6.8	6.2	5.4	5.0	4.7	6.0	(7.6)	8.3	9.0	9.7
6	*6.8	*6.4	*6.3	*5.9	J	*5.3	*5.3	*6.2	*6.5	*8.9	*9.3	*10.0
7	(7.0)	(7.1)	(7.0)	(6.0)	J	(5.2)	(4.8)	J	(9.9)	J	(9.9)	J
8	(5.6)	(5.8)	5.5	5.3	J	(4.6)	J	(6.6)	J	(8.9)	J	J
9	*6.6	6.5	6.1	5.4	5.2	4.9	5.8	7.8	9.1	9.5	9.4	9.8
10	6.4	F	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.2	5.0	5.8	7.4	8.1	9.0	9.6
11	6.8	F	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.4	5.6	5.6	6.8	7.4	7.8	9.2
12	6.4	6.2	5.8	5.0	(4.9)	(4.1)	5.0	6.8	7.5	7.8	8.4	9.1
13	K(4.5)	4.7	K(4.6)	J	(4.2)	(3.9)	(3.5)	(5.7)	J	(8.2)	9.8	10.3
14	6.1	F	5.4	4.8	(5.4)	S	5.2	(7.6)	[8.4]	9.5	9.4	9.6
15	5.4	(5.4)	(4.9)	(4.4)	(4.4)	(4.1)	3.6	(4.8)	(5.8)	6.4	6.5	7.2
16	6.1	6.1	5.9	(5.7)	5.4	4.9	5.6	(7.2)	8.6	9.0	9.2	9.7
17	6.2	(6.0)	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.1	(6.4)	8.8	10.0	10.0	10.4	10.6
18	6.8	6.8	6.5	5.8	5.1	4.9	(6.2)	9.0	10.2	10.7	11.0	11.2
19	7.1	6.9	6.6	(5.8)	5.4	5.1	(6.5)	8.3	9.6	(10.3)	10.6	11.0
20	(6.9)	(6.9)	6.4	F	5.7	5.2	4.8	6.4	(9.5)	10.3	11.0	11.4
21	6.4	F	6.5	5.9	F	5.7	F	(5.3)	6.7	9.3	10.6	11.5
22	(6.7)	F	(6.8)	S	6.0	F	5.8	F	(8.8)	10.0	11.8	11.7
23	(6.4)	F	6.8	F	6.5	F	6.1	F	5.6	10.2	11.0	11.4
24	6.8	F	6.6	6.5	6.4	F	6.2	F	6.0	10.4	10.8	11.5
25	(8.2)	S	8.0	K	7.2	K	6.7	K	(6.1)	9.8	11.1	11.5
26	4.3	K(14.1)	4.0	K	3.8	K	(2.8)	(2.5)	(4.7)	7.5	9.4	10.5
27	6.1	5.8	(4.7)	(3.5)	F	(4.1)	F	(4.2)	5.8	8.7	(9.9)	(9.7)
28	(6.7)	F	5.9	F	5.6	F	4.6	F	4.3	8.9	(8.1)	(8.8)
29	5.9	F	5.4	F	5.2	F	4.9	F	4.6	9.3	10.0	10.7
30	5.9	F	5.9	F	5.1	F	4.9	F	4.7	(8.3)	8.8	(8.5)
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TABLE 54  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.

## IONOSPHERIC DATA

foF<sub>2</sub> Mc September, 1949

(Characteristic) (Unit)

Washington, D. C.

Observed at Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

Mean Time  
75°WNational Bureau of Standards  
(Institution)  
Scaled by B E B, JD, H W,  
Calculated by B E B, JD

Day	0030	0130	0230	0330	0430	0530	0630	0730	0830	0930	1030	1130	1230	1330	1430	1530	1630	1730	1830	1930	2030	2130	2230	2330															
1	5.7	5.6	4.7	4.3	4.4	4.3	5.8	4.6	4.6	4.3	7.4	* 7.6	8.1	8.6	* 8.7	9.2	* 9.6	9.0	8.6	8.9	8.8	7.2	6.3	5.6	5.4														
2	(5.1) <sup>J</sup>	(4.8) <sup>J</sup>	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.4	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.4) <sup>S</sup>	9.0	9.6	10.2	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.2	9.2	9.6	9.7	9.7	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	K (7.4) <sup>J</sup>	7.3	7.2															
3	6.0	F	5.8	K	5.5	J	[4.4] <sup>J</sup>	[4.4] <sup>J</sup>	(3.6) <sup>J</sup>	5.1	K	5.7	K	5.8	K	7.2	K	7.4	K	7.6	K	8.0	K	7.7	K	7.2													
4	(6.2) <sup>J</sup>	(5.5) <sup>J</sup>	(5.0) <sup>J</sup>	(5.0) <sup>J</sup>	(3.8) <sup>J</sup>	(3.7) <sup>J</sup>	(3.7) <sup>J</sup>	(5.8) <sup>J</sup>	7.0	F	7.3	F	8.4	8.7	9.7	9.0	9.0	9.4	9.7	9.6	9.8	F	7.8	F	(7.5) <sup>J</sup>														
5	6.7	* 6.4	* (6.0) <sup>J</sup>	* (5.7) <sup>J</sup>	* (5.2) <sup>J</sup>	* (5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(5.0) <sup>J</sup>	5.0	6.9	7.9	* 8.6	9.4	9.7	9.8	* 10.0	* 10.6	* 10.0	* 10.5	* 10.0	J	* 7.9	* 7.9	9.5	* 6.9	* 6.8												
6	7	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(6.2) <sup>J</sup>	(5.6) <sup>J</sup>	F	S	F	S	K	(7.9) <sup>J</sup>	9.7	* 10.2	(9.8) <sup>J</sup>	* (9.8) <sup>J</sup>	(9.8) <sup>J</sup>	(9.9) <sup>J</sup>	* (9.9) <sup>J</sup>	* (9.9) <sup>J</sup>	* (9.9) <sup>J</sup>	* (9.9) <sup>J</sup>	* (9.9) <sup>J</sup>	(8.9) <sup>S</sup>	* (8.9) <sup>S</sup>	(8.1) <sup>J</sup>	* (7.9) <sup>J</sup>	6.9												
8	(5.5) <sup>J</sup>	5.7	F	5.4	F	5.5	F	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	F	S	9.0	9.0	9.7	10.0	10.0	10.2	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	6.5								
9	6.6	6.2	5.8	5.4	5.0	5.0	7.0	8.5	9.6	9.4	9.6	9.4	9.4	9.2	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	6.7											
10	6.2	F	6.1	F	5.9	F	5.6	F	5.2	F	5.0	F	6.7	8.0	8.4	8.9	9.6	9.9	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.6	9.7	9.5	9.4	8.5	9.1	(7.3) <sup>S</sup>	7.2	7.0									
11	7.2	F	5.9	F	6.2	F	5.8	F	5.4	F	5.3	F	5.8	F	7.2	7.4	8.8	9.8	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	7.9	7.0	F	6.4								
12	6.3	6.0	(5.6) <sup>J</sup>	4.8	4.3	(4.4) <sup>J</sup>	6.2	F	6.4	F	7.5	K	7.8	K	7.2	K	6.8	X	[7.0] <sup>C</sup>	7.2	K	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	4.7								
13	4.8	F	4.9	K	(4.0) <sup>J</sup>	(3.7) <sup>J</sup>	(3.7) <sup>J</sup>	(4.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.3) <sup>J</sup>	(4.2) <sup>J</sup>	(8.6) <sup>S</sup>	(9.8) <sup>J</sup>	(9.7) <sup>S</sup>	9.8	9.8	10.2	10.3	10.5	10.3	10.4	9.8	9.1	8.3	7.7	F	6.7	F	6.3											
14	6.0	F	5.5	F	5.4	F	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(5.0) <sup>J</sup>	(6.8) <sup>J</sup>	S	(8.4) <sup>H</sup>	8.5	9.3	8.3	8.4	9.6	9.5	9.2	[9.7] <sup>C</sup>	9.2	9.2	9.2	(18.8) <sup>S</sup>	(17.9) <sup>J</sup>	7.2	(6.0) <sup>J</sup>	5.6											
15	5.5	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(4.5) <sup>J</sup>	4.3	4.2	K	(4.0) <sup>J</sup>	5.4	K	6.4	K	6.5	K	(6.6) <sup>J</sup>	7.4	K	8.0	K	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.4) <sup>K</sup>	(8.4) <sup>K</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	(8.0) <sup>J</sup>	6.2						
16	6.3	5.6	(5.9) <sup>J</sup>	5.6	5.1	(4.9) <sup>J</sup>	6.6	8.1	8.9	8.8	9.2	9.4	9.4	9.2	9.4	9.2	9.7	9.7	9.2	9.1	9.4	(9.1) <sup>S</sup>	9.2	7.5	7.2	6.8													
17	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.4	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(5.3) <sup>J</sup>	7.8	9.3	10.0	9.7	10.1	(10.2) <sup>J</sup>	10.1	10.4	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2								
18	6.8	6.6	6.1	5.4	5.0	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.3) <sup>J</sup>	9.2	10.4	10.6	10.8	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2							
19	7.0	6.6	6.4	5.7	(5.4) <sup>J</sup>	(5.5) <sup>J</sup>	(5.5) <sup>J</sup>	(8.2) <sup>J</sup>	(9.5) <sup>S</sup>	(10.1) <sup>J</sup>	10.1	10.4	10.6	10.9	11.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0							
20	7.0	F	6.9	F	6.1	F	5.4	V	(5.1) <sup>J</sup>	5.3	7.7	9.8	10.8	10.7	10.7	11.0	11.0	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4				
21	6.6	F	6.5	F	6.2	F	5.8	F	5.5	5.5	8.2	10.0	(11.0) <sup>J</sup>	11.0	11.7	(11.6) <sup>J</sup>	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4					
22	(7.0) <sup>S</sup>	(6.4) <sup>S</sup>	(6.4) <sup>S</sup>	(6.4) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>	(6.6) <sup>S</sup>										
23	6.8	F	6.8	F	6.4	F	5.7	F	5.5	F	5.3	F	7.8	F	9.8	10.6	10.8	11.0	11.0	11.3	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4							
24	6.8	F	6.1	F	6.3	F	6.4	F	6.4	F	6.3	K	7.3	K	9.4	10.5	11.3	11.5	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.3	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9						
25	8.1	K	(7.9) <sup>J</sup>	(6.9) <sup>J</sup>	(6.6) <sup>J</sup>	(5.9) <sup>J</sup>	(5.3) <sup>J</sup>	6.2	K	6.3	K	6.4	K	(6.5) <sup>J</sup>	6.0	K	6.5	K	6.6	K	6.7	K	6.9	K	7.1	K	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>	(7.2) <sup>J</sup>			
26	(K)(4.4) <sup>J</sup>	(3.9) <sup>J</sup>	(3.9) <sup>J</sup>	3.8	K	(2.4) <sup>J</sup>	(3.2) <sup>J</sup>	(6.3) <sup>J</sup>	(8.9) <sup>J</sup>	9.9	10.9	(10.7) <sup>J</sup>	11.6	11.3	11.8	10.6	10.4	9.9	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>	(8.8) <sup>J</sup>				
27	6.0	(5.2) <sup>J</sup>	(4.2) <sup>J</sup>	3.5	F	(4.4) <sup>J</sup>	(4.8) <sup>J</sup>	4.8	9.0	9.0	9.9	(10.5) <sup>J</sup>	M	M	M	11.2	11.2	11.0	10.6	10.0	8.2	J	(7.7) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>
28	6.2	F	5.9	F	4.8	F	4.4	F	(4.3) <sup>J</sup>	(6.0) <sup>J</sup>	(7.5) <sup>S</sup>	(8.3) <sup>J</sup>	9.0	9.6	9.9	[10.0] <sup>J</sup>	10.0	9.9	(10.3) <sup>J</sup>	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.9		
29	5.8	F	5.7	F	5.0	F	4.9	F	(5.3) <sup>J</sup>	7.0	(9.1) <sup>J</sup>	9.5	10.3	10.6	10.6	10.9	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9			
30	5.7	F	5.5	F	4.8	F	5.1	F	(5.3) <sup>J</sup>	(6.7) <sup>J</sup>	8.4	(8.9) <sup>J</sup>	9.5	10.4	10.8	10.9	11.3	10.9	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4		
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Median	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.4	5.1	(5.0)	6.9	8.6	9.0	9.6	10.0	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2				
Count	30	30	30	30	29	29	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30			

\* SUPPLEMENTARY DATA FROM STERLING, VA.  
LAT 39.0°N, LONG 77.5°W

Manual □ Automatic □

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min

**TABLE 55**  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**  
 Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.

**h<sup>1</sup> F<sub>i</sub>**, **K<sub>m</sub>**      **September, 1949**

(Month)

Washington, D. C.

Observed at **Lat 38°N, Long 77.1°W**

**National Bureau of Standards**

Scaled by **B. E. B.**

Calculated by **J. D.**

**75°W**

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\* SUPPLEMENTARY DATA FROM STERLING, VA  
 LAT. 39.0°N, LONG. 77.5°W

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
 Manual □ Automatic ☒

Form 10-MC 1025.0 Mc in 0.25 min

**TABLE 56**  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**

September, 1949  
(Month)  
Lat 38.7°N Long 77.1°W

Mc (Unit)  
Observed at Washington, D.C.

Mc September, 1949  
(Characteristic)

Form adopted June 1946

**National Bureau of Standards**  
(Institution)

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		75°W Mean Time																						
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\* SUPPLEMENTARY DATA FROM STERLING, VA  
LAT. 39°0'N, LONG. 77.5°W

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Manual  Automatic

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TABLE E 57  
IONOSPHERIC DATA  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.

h <sup>1</sup> E (Characteristic)	Km (Unit)	September, 1949 (Month)	Washington, D.C. Observed at	75°W Mean Time												75°W Mean Time												
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\* SUPPLEMENTARY DATA FROM STERLING, VA.  
LAT. 39.0°N, LONG. 77.5°W

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Sweep 1.0 Mc in 0.25 min

**TABLE 58**  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**

Form adopted June 1946

fo E, Mc September, 1949

(Characteristics) (Unit) (Month)

Observed at Washington, D.C.

Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

**75°W Mean Time**

Day	75°W Mean Time												75°W Mean Time												
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
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Count	15	29	30	29	29	28	27	26	26	26	30	29	16												

\* SUPPLEMENTARY DATA FROM STERLING, VA.  
LAT. 39.0° N, LONG. 77.6° W

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual □ Automatic □

TABLE 59  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.  
IONOSPHERIC DATA

ES (Characteristic)	Mc, Km (Unit)	September, 1949 (Month)	Observed at Washington, D.C.	Lat 38°7'N, Long 77°W												75°W Mean Time												Calculated by B.E.B., U.D.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																
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TABLE 61  
IONOSPHERIC DATA  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

(M 3000) F2, (Unit) September, 1949  
(Characteristic) (Month)

Observed at Washington, D.C.

Lat 38°N, Long 77°W

Day	75°W Mean Time																							
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
1	2.6	2.8	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.7F	2.9	3.1	2.9	(2.8)J	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.0	2.6	(2.6)J 2.4
2	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	(2.4)J	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.7	J(2.6)J 2.6
3	2.5F	2.5F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.7F	2.8F	2.6K	2.6K	2.9F	2.9F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	(2.7)F (2.6)J 2.5F
4	2.7F	(2.6)J	(2.5)J	(2.4)J	2.9F	3.0F	* 3.3	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	(2.5)F (2.5)J							
5	(2.6)J	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.1	(3.1)J	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2
6	* 2.6	* 2.7	* 2.6	(* 2.6)J	(* 2.6)J																			
7	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	(2.7)F	3.0F	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	(2.6)F
8	(2.6)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	2.5F	2.5F	2.6F	2.6F	2.7F	2.7F	(2.5)F						
9	* 2.6	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.7
10	2.8F	2.8	2.9F	2.8F	2.8	2.9F	2.8	2.9F	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7
11	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.7F	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.6F
12	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	(2.6)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	(2.5)J	2.5F	3.1F	2.5F	2.4F	2.6K	2.7K	C	C	2.7K	2.7K	(2.7)S J(2.7)S	(2.7)S J(2.7)S	(2.6)F
13	(2.5)J	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	(2.4)F	
14	2.7F	2.6F	2.6V	(2.6)S	2.6V	(2.7)C	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.6)F															
15	2.5	(2.6)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	
16	2.5	2.5	2.5	(2.6)J	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.9	(3.1)S	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.5
17	2.6	(2.7)S	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	(2.9)S	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
18	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	(3.0)S	3.2	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
19	2.7	2.7	2.8	(2.8)S	2.7	2.7	2.8	(2.9)S	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
20	(2.7)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	(2.8)S
21	2.7F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.7F
22	(2.6)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	(2.7)S	2.6F	2.5F	(2.8)S	(2.8)S									
23	(2.6)S	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.6F
24	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.6F	2.7F	2.7F	2.5F										
25	(2.7)S	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.8F	2.7F
26	2.4F	(2.5)S	(2.5)S	(2.5)S	(2.5)S	(2.5)S	(2.5)S	(2.5)S	(2.5)S	(2.5)S	(2.5)S	2.6K	2.6K	(2.6)S										
27	2.7	2.8	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	
28	(2.5)F	2.5F	2.6F	2.5F	2.6F	(2.8)S	(2.8)S	(2.6)S																
29	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	2.7F	(2.9)S	(2.9)S	(2.7)S										
30	2.6	2.6	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	2.4F	(2.6)S	(2.6)S	(2.7)S										
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LAT 39°0' N., LONG. 77°5' W.

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Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

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**TABLE 62**  
 Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**

Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.  
Form adopted June 1946

\* SUPPLEMENTARY DATA FROM STERLING, VA.  
LAT 39.0°N, LONG. 77.5°W

1.0 Mcfa 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual  Automatic

TABLE 63  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.  
IONOSPHERIC DATA

Form adopted June 1946  
National Bureau of Standards  
Scaled by B.E.B., J.D.  
Institution)

(M1500)E, September, 1949  
(Characteristic) (Unit)  
Observed at Washington, D.C.

Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

75°N

Mean Time

Day	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
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Count	15	28	27	28	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	28	28	28	28	29	29	29	29	

\* SUPPLEMENTARY DATA FROM STERLING, VA  
LAT 39.0°N, LONG. 77.5°W

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual □ Automatic ☒

Table 64

Ionospheric Storminess at Washington, D. C.September 1949

Day	Ionospheric character*		Principal storms		Geomagnetic character**	
	00-12 GCT	12-24 GCT	Beginning GCT	End GCT	00-12 GCT	12-24 GCT
1	2	3			2	3
2	3	1	2200	----	3	3
3	4	4	----	1900	5	3
4	2	2			3	2
5	1	0			2	2
6	1	1			3	1
7	1	1			2	1
8	2	0			2	3
9	1	2			2	0
10	1	2			0	2
11	1	2			3	2
12	2	6	0800	----	3	3
13	4	2	----	0600	3	2
14	3	3			2	3
15	3	4	0600	1800	2	2
16	3	3			2	2
17	2	2			1	3
18	1	2			1	0
19	1	1			0	0
20	1	2			0	0
21	1	2			0	1
22	2	1			2	1
23	1	1			1	1
24	1	2	2100	----	2	3
25	4	6	----	----	4	3
26	4	1	----	0700	3	2
27	2	1			4	3
28	2	2			3	1
29	1	2			2	1
30	2	1			3	2

\*Ionosphere character figure (I-figure) for ionospheric storminess at Washington, D. C., during 12-hour period, on an arbitrary scale of 0 to 9, 9 representing the greatest disturbance.

\*\*Average for 12 hours of Cheltenham, Maryland, geomagnetic K-figures on an arbitrary scale of 0 to 9, 9 representing the greatest disturbance.

----Dashes indicate continuing storm.

Table 65

Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Observed at Washington, D. C.

September 1949

1949 Day	GCT Beginning End	Location of transmitters	Relative intensity at minimum*	Other phenomena	1949 Day	GCT Beginning End	Location of transmitters	Relative intensity at minimum*	Other phenomena
September 15	1513 ****	Ohio, D. C., England	0.0		September 1	1712 1800	Ohio, D. C.	0.1	Terr. mag. pulse**
15	1623 1640	Ohio, D. C., England	0.1	Terr. mag. pulse** 1622-1635	2	1822 1840	Ohio, D. C., England, New Brunswick	0.0	1822-1830
15	1905 1945	Ohio, D. C., England	0.1		5	1235 1320	Ohio, D. C.	0.05	Terr. mag. pulse**
15	2122 2200	Ohio, D. C., Canal Zone, England, New Brunswick	0.01		8	1300 1330	Ohio, D. C., England	0.2	1231-1233 Solar flare***
16	1429 1510	Ohio, D. C., Canal Zone, England	0.05	Solar flare*** 1425	8	1408 1440	Ohio, D. C., England	0.1	Solar flare***
16	1828 1940	Ohio, D. C., England, New Brunswick	0.0		9	1345 1420	Ohio, D. C.	0.3	1340 Terr. mag. pulse**
17	1416 1500	Ohio, D. C., England	0.1		11	1839 1920	Ohio, D. C., Canal Zone, New Brunswick	0.0	1848-1905 Terr. mag. pulse**
17	1717 2040	Ohio, D. C., Canal Zone, England, New Brunswick	0.0	Terr. mag. pulse** 1718-1735	12	1315 1355	Ohio, D. C., England	0.03	1341-1320 Solar flare***
18	1750 1855	Ohio, D. C., England	0.2		12	1522 1600	Ohio, D. C., England	0.0	Solar flare*** 1330
19	1126 1140	England	0.2		12	2010 2050	Ohio, D. C., England, New Brunswick	0.0	Terr. mag. pulse** 2009-2020
19	1654 1725	Ohio, D. C., England	0.05		13	1046 1110	England	0.1	
24	1944 ****	Ohio, D. C., England	0.05		13	1305 1350	Ohio, D. C., Canal Zone, England	0.0	Terr. mag. pulse** 1305-1330
24	2000 2045	Ohio, D. C., Canal Zone, England	0.0		13	1605 1640	Ohio, D. C., Canal Zone, England	0.0	
27	1535 1600	Ohio, D. C., England	0.2		13	1745 1915	Ohio, D. C., Canal Zone, England	0.0	
30	1717 1745	Ohio, D. C., England	0.1		14	1329 1540	Ohio, D. C., England	0.1	
30	1858 2020	Ohio, D. C., Canal Zone	0.0		15	1227 1245	England	0.1	

\*Ratio of received field intensity during SID to average field intensity before and after, for station WGY, 6080 kilocycles, 600 kilometers distant\*, for all SID except the following: Station GLH, 13525 kilocycles, received in New York, 5340 kilometers distant, was used for the SID on September 13 at 1046, on September 15 at 1227, and on September 19 at 1126.

\*\*As observed on Cheltenham magnetogram of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.

\*\*\*\*Time of observation at McMath-Hulbert Observatory, Michigan.

\*\*\*\*\*Incomplete recovery of SID.

Table 66Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Reported by Engineer-in-ChiefCable and Wireless, Ltd., as Observed in England

1949 Day	GCT Beginning End		Receiving station	Location of transmitters	Other phenomena
August 31	0719	0750	Brentwood	Afghanistan, Bahrein I., Belgian Congo, French Equatorial Africa, Greece, Indian, Iran, Kenya, Palestine, Portugal, Southern Rhodesia, Spain, Syria, Trans-Jordan Aden, China, India	Solar flare** 0747
	0722	0745	Somerton		Solar flare** 0747
September 1	0800	0815	Brentwood	Afghanistan, Bahrein I., Belgian Congo, Greece, India, Iran, Palestine, Portugal, Southern Rhodesia, Spain, Syria, Trans-Jordan, Turkey, Zanzibar	
	0917	0930	Brentwood	Belgian Congo, Canary Is., Eritrea, Greece, Indian, Iran, Kenya, Malta, Palestine, Southern Rhodesia, Spain, Switzerland, Syria, U.S.S.R., Zanzibar	
2	1030	1100	Brentwood	Bahrein I., Bulgaria, Greece, India, Iran, Kenya, Malta, Palestine, Portugal, Spain, Switzerland, Syria, Turkey, U.S.S.R., Yugoslavia, Zanzibar	
5	0949	1020	Brentwood	Austria, Bahrein I., Belgian Congo, Canary Is., Greece, India, Iran, Kenya, Palestine, Portugal, Southern Rhodesia, Spain, Switzerland, Syria, Trans-Jordan, Turkey, U.S.S.R., Yugoslavia, Zanzibar	
5	0950	1020	Somerton	Aden, Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Ceylon, China, Gold Coast, India, Nigeria, Union of S. Africa	
5	1234	1300	Brentwood	Bahrein I., Barbados, Belgian Congo, Bulgaria, Canary Is., Colombia, Greece, India, Iran, Kenya, Madagascar, Malta, Palestine, Portugal, Southern Rhodesia, Spain, Switzerland, Syria, Turkey, U.S.S.R., Yugoslavia, Zanzibar	Terr.mag. pulse* 1231-1233
5	1230	1255	Somerton	Aden, Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Ceylon, Egypt, Gold Coast, India, Nigeria, New York, Union of S. Africa	Terr.mag. pulse* 1231-1233
15	1225	1300	Brentwood	Greece, Portugal, Southern Rhodesia, Spain, Syria	
15	1415	1500	Brentwood	Bulgaria, Colombia, Palestine, Turkey, Yugoslavia	
15	1515	1600	Brentwood	Barbados	
15	1520	1545	Somerton	Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Gold Coast, New York	

\*As observed on Cheltenham magnetogram of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.

\*\*Time of observation at Meudon Observatory, France.

Table 67

Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Reported by International Telephone  
and Telegraph Corporation, as Observed at Platanos, Argentina

1949 Day	GCT		Location of transmitters
	Beginning	End	
August 3	1120	1400	Belgium, Germany, Netherlands, New York, Venezuela

Table 68

Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Reported by RCA Communications, Inc.,  
as Observed at Point Reves, California

1949 Day	GCT		Location of transmitters	Other phenomena
	Beginning	End		
September 11	1850	1910	Australia, Hawaii, Japan, Philippine Is.	Terr.mag. pulse* 1848-1905
12	0630	0700	China, Japan, Philippine Is.	Solar flare** 0620
13	0353	0430	Australia, China, Japan, Java, Philippine Is.	
15	2126	2150	Australia, China, Hawaii, Japan, Java, New York, Philippine Is.	
17	1720	1900	Australia, China, Hawaii, Japan	Terr.mag. pulse* 1718-1735
18	0215	0230	Australia, China, Chosen, Hawaii, Japan, Java, Philippine Is.	Solar flare*** 1717
October 2	0322	0400	Australia, China, Japan, Philippine Is.	

\*As observed on Cheltenham magnetogram of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.

\*\*Time of observation at Prague Observatory, Czechoslovakia.

\*\*\*Time of observation at McMath-Hulbert Observatory, Michigan.

Table 69

Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Reported by RCA Communications, Inc.,  
as Observed at Riverhead, New York

1949 Day	GCT		Location of transmitters	Other phenomena
	Beginning	End		
September	5	1235	1310	Argentina, England, Italy, Morocco
	12	1320	1345	Argentina, Panama
	13	1305	1335	Argentina, England, Italy, Morocco, Panama
	15	1525	1600	Argentina, Canada, England, Italy, Morocco, Panama, Sweden
	17	1720	1800	Argentina, Canada, England, Italy, Morocco, Panama, Puerto Rico, Union of S. Africa
	18	0950	1010	Italy, Morocco
	October 1	1712	1725	Argentina, Canada, England, Italy, Morocco, Panama
	2	1402	1420	Argentina, Canada, England, Italy, Morocco, Panama

\*As observed on Cheltenham magnetogram of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.

\*\*Time of observation at Meudon Observatory, France.

\*\*\*Time of observation at McMath-Hulbert Observatory, Michigan.

Note: Observers are invited to send to the CRPL information on times of beginning and end of sudden ionosphere disturbances for publication as above. Address letters to Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.

Table 70

Provisional Radio Propagation Quality Figures  
 (Including Comparisons with CRPL Warnings and CRPL Probable Disturbed Period Forecasts)  
August 1949

Day	North Atlantic						North Pacific					
	Quality figure	CRPL* Warning	CRPL** Forecast of probable disturbed periods	Geo-magnetic K <sub>Ch</sub>	Quality figure	CRPL* Warning	CRPL** Forecast of probable disturbed periods	Geo-magnetic K <sub>Ch</sub>	01-12 GCT	13-24 GCT	01-12 GCT	13-24 GCT
1	7	6	X	X	1	2	7	7	X	X	1	2
2	5	5	X	X	3	3	6	7	X	X	3	3
3	(2)	5	X X		6	3	(4)	5	X X		6	3
4	(3)	(4)	X X		5	4	5	5	X X		5	4
5	(2)	(3)	X X		3	4	5	(4)	X X		3	4
6	(4)	(4)	X		2	2	5	6	X		2	2
7	(4)	(4)			1	3	5	6			1	3
8	(2)	5	X X		4	2	(4)	6	X X		4	2
9	(4)	5			2	2	5	6			2	2
10	(3)	(4)			2	2	6	7			2	2
11	5	5			1	1	6	7			1	1
12	6	6			2	1	6	6			2	1
13	6	6			2	2	6	6			2	2
14	6	6			4	3	5	6			4	3
15	5	5			4	2	6	6			4	2
16	6	5			2	1	6	7			2	1
17	6	6			2	3	6	7			2	3
18	5	5			2	3	6	7			2	3
19	6	6	X		2	2	6	6	X		2	2
20	6	6			X	3	3	5	7	X	3	3
21	6	6			X	2	2	6	7	X	2	2
22	7	6			2	2	6	7			2	2
23	7	6			2	1	6	7			2	1
24	7	6			1	0	6	7			1	0
25	7	6			0	1	6	7			0	1
26	6	6			1	1	6	6			1	1
27	5	6			3	2	5	6			3	2
28	6	6			X	2	1	6	7	X	2	1
29	7	6			X	2	2	5	7	X	2	2
30	6	6			2	1	5	7			2	1
31	6	6			1	2	6	6			1	2

Score:												
H		5	0					3	0			
M		3	8					0	3			
G		21	17					24	22			
(S)		1	1					2	2			
S		1	5					2	4			

Quality Figure Scale:

- 1 - Useless
- 2 - Very poor
- 3 - Poor
- 4 - Poor to fair
- 5 - Fair
- 6 - Fair to good
- 7 - Good
- 8 - Very good
- 9 - Excellent

Symbols:

- X - Warning given or probable disturbed date
- H - Quality 4 or worse on day or half day of warning
- M - Quality 4 or worse on day or half day of no warning
- G - Quality 5 or better on day of no warning
- (S) - Quality 5 on day of warning
- S - Quality 6 or better on day of warning
- ( ) - Quality 4 or worse (disturbed)

Geomagnetic K<sub>Ch</sub> on the standard scale of 0 to 9, 9 representing the greatest disturbance.

\*Broadcast on WWV, Washington, D.C. Times of warnings recorded to nearest half day as broadcast.

\*\*In addition to dates marked X, the following were designated as probable disturbed days on forecasts more than eight days in advance of said dates: August 30 and 31.

Table 71American and Zürich Provisional Relative Sunspot NumbersSeptember 1949

Date	R <sub>A</sub> *	R <sub>Z</sub> **	Date	R <sub>A</sub> *	R <sub>Z</sub> **
1	234	165	17	216	182
2	225	165	18	226	210
3	224	184	19	223	154
4	229	184	20	221	170
5	223	174	21	187	130
6	222	188	22	199	148
7	212	184	23	175	144
8	212	170	24	167	127
9	196	160	25	63	136
10	220	164	26	138	108
11	235	176	27	101	94
12	213	173	28	92	84
13	200	170	29	66	55
14	183	168	30	65	51
15	179	172			
16	166	159	Mean:	183.7	151.6

\*Combination of reports from 49 observers; see page 8.

\*\*Dependent on observations at Zürich Observatory and its stations at Locarno and Arosa.

Table 72a

### Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (5303A), east limb

Date GCT	Degrees north of the solar equator															0°	Degrees south of the solar equator																	
	90	85	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20		5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90
1949																																		
Sept. 1.6	X	X	X	X	X	1	2	3	3	4	6	9	10	14	22	20	18	13	7	8	8	9	10	9	8	7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
4.7	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	-	1	4	5	7	9	10	12	11	10	9	8	8	7	6	5	4	1	-	-	-	-	-		
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7.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	3	4	7	14	20	24	22	14	10	11	12	7	2	2	3	3	2	1	-	-		
8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	4	9	15	18	20	16	9	8	8	7	6	5	5	4	3	1	-	-	-			
9.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	3	5	10	18	17	19	15	13	12	13	16	14	3	2	3	3	1	-	-		
10.8	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	3	4	4	8	7	10	15	22	23	18	14	12	18	15	17	15	10	4	3	3	3	2	1	-			
11.7	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	1	2	3	3	3	9	13	18	30	20	14	13	12	12	13	13	12	10	9	X	X	X	X	X		
12.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	6	15	20	23	20	13	12	10	9	10	10	7	3	1	-	-	-	-			
14.7	-	-	-	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	10	17	28	30	35	30	30	17	15	33	34	25	13	11	12	12	9	8	6	5	2	1		
15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	9	11	12	14	16	17	13	13	13	30	25	12	9	8	7	5	4	3	3	2	1
16.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	16	16	15	15	15	15	14	16	16	32	30	18	14	12	6	3	1	-	-	-		
17.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	10	14	13	13	12	11	12	12	14	14	14	13	12	12	10	9	8	1	-	-		
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22.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	3	3	5	4	5	12	17	17	16	13	10	10	11	12	8	7	8	8	3	1	-	-	-		
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24.8	X	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	8	8	9	9	13	12	12	3	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-				
25.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	4	9	14	15	15	13	12	13	15	14	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-				
26.7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				
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28.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	3	4	6	8	11	15	18	21	19	19	15	17	27	20	15	12	8	4	2	1	3	3	1	-	
29.8	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	1	2	5	8	12	17	19	20	21	17	18	18	18	20	26	15	10	8	3	2	1	-	-	-	X	X	
30.7	X	-	1	3	3	3	2	1	2	7	10	15	18	19	20	20	12	19	18	24	27	20	17	12	8	3	3	2	3	5	5	X	X	

Table 73a

### Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (6374A), east limb

Table 72b

Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (5303A), west limb

Date GCT	Degrees south of the solar equator															0°	Degrees north of the solar equator																	
	90	85	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20		5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90
1949																																		
Sept. 1.6	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	7	11	12	13	10	9	9	9	10	13	12	6	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	
5.7	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	3	2	3	3	7	10	12	11	11	12	11	11	11	12	11	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
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Table 73b

Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (6374A), west limb

Date GCT	Degrees south of the solar equator															0°	Degrees north of the solar equator																				
	90	85	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20		5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90			
1949																																					
Sept. 1.6	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				
4.7	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	X				
5.7	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	5	10	1	1	9	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
6.7	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	1	1	-	-	2	1	-	1	13	3	1	9	8	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
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8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	-				
9.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	6	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	10	3	4	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1			
11.7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				
12.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	13	3	1	7	8	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
14.7	1	1	1	-	1	2	2	3	3	1	1	1	9	8	7	8	1	1	13	3	1	1	12	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
15.7	-	-	-	2	2	3	4	9	5	1	-	1	8	12	15	16	8	4	3	2	22	13	10	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	2	2	2	
16.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	3	1	1	-	-	10	19	15	3	1	6	3	1	1	12	8	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	3	3	2
17.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	3	5	8	9	1	-	10	3	1	1	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
18.7	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	2	3	4	5	5	6	1	1	8	10	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
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20.7	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X			
21.6	-	X	X	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
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Table 74a

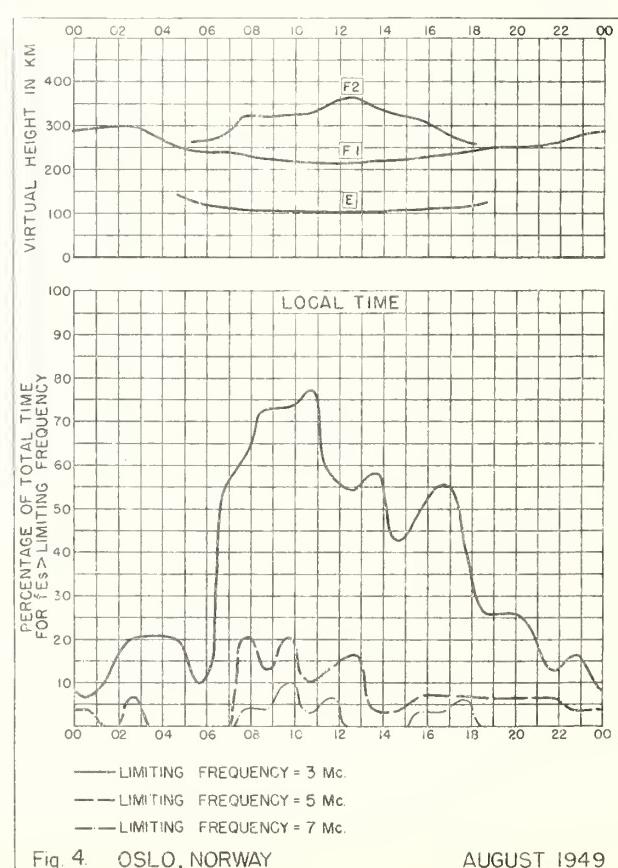
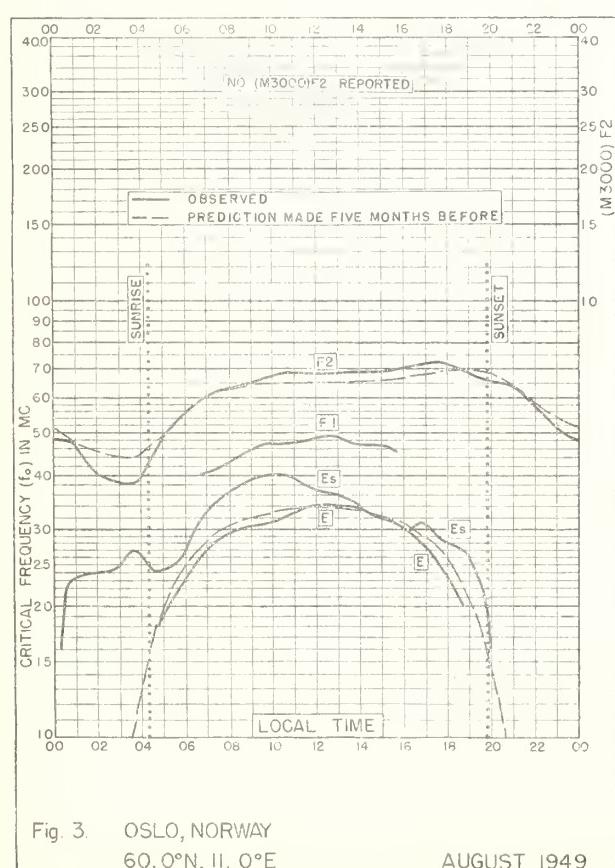
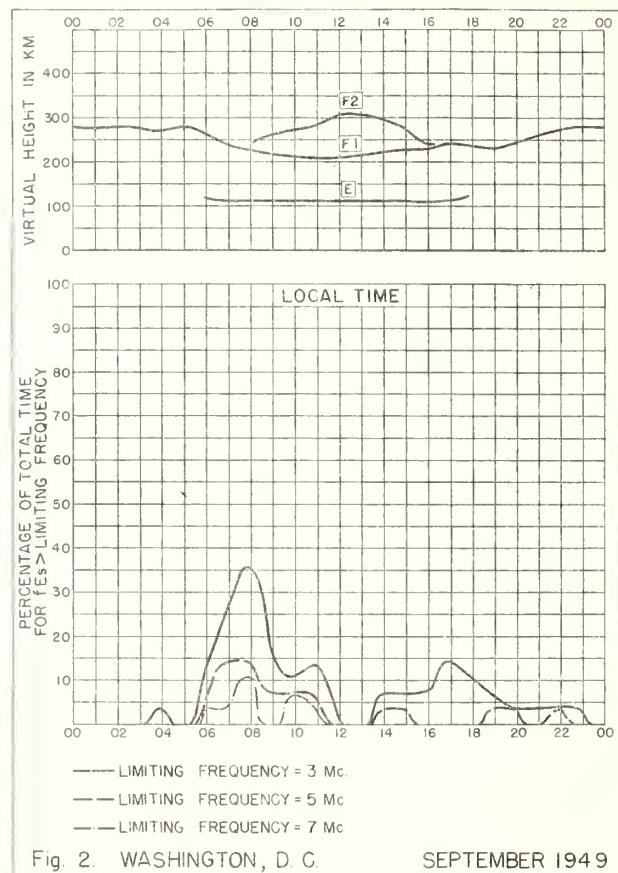
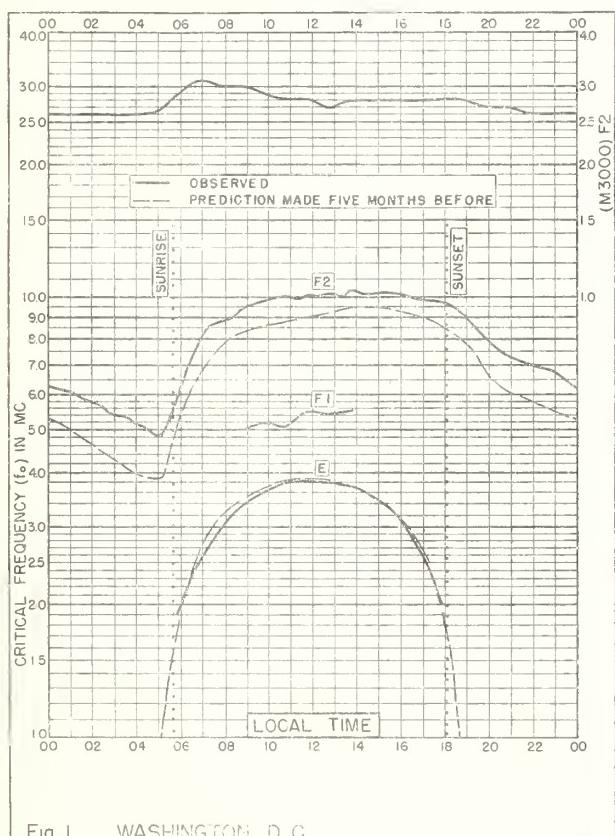
Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (6704A), east limb

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	5.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
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	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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	29.8	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	X	X	X	X
	30.7	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	X	X	X	X

Table 74b

Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (6704A), west limb

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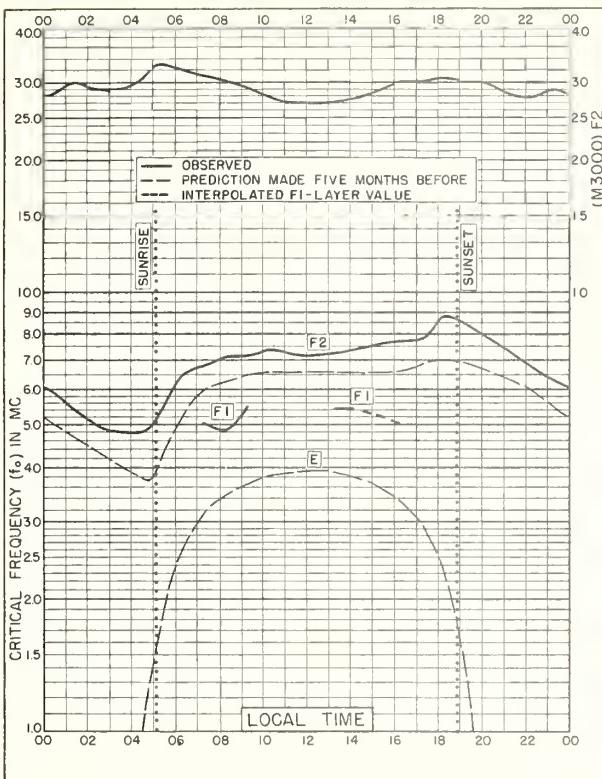


Fig. 5. BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
42.4°N, 71.2°W AUGUST 1949

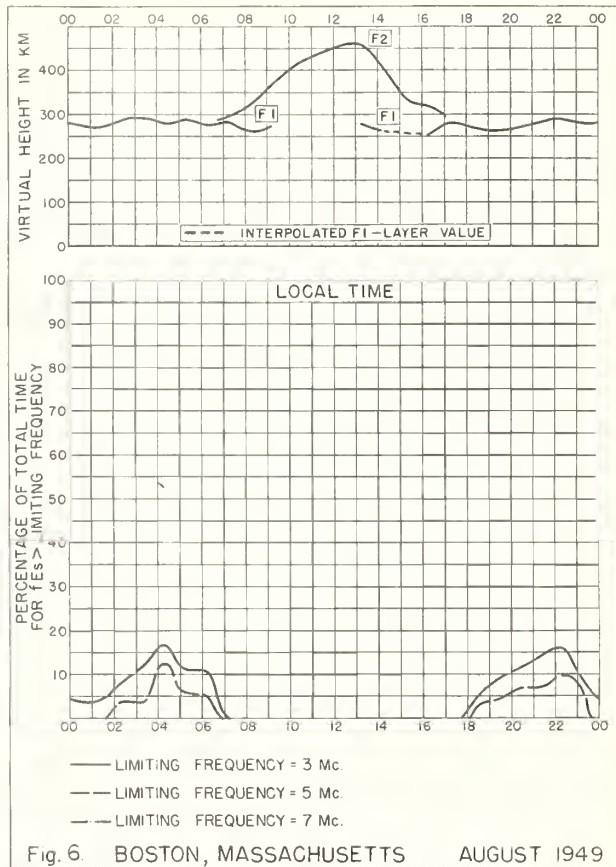


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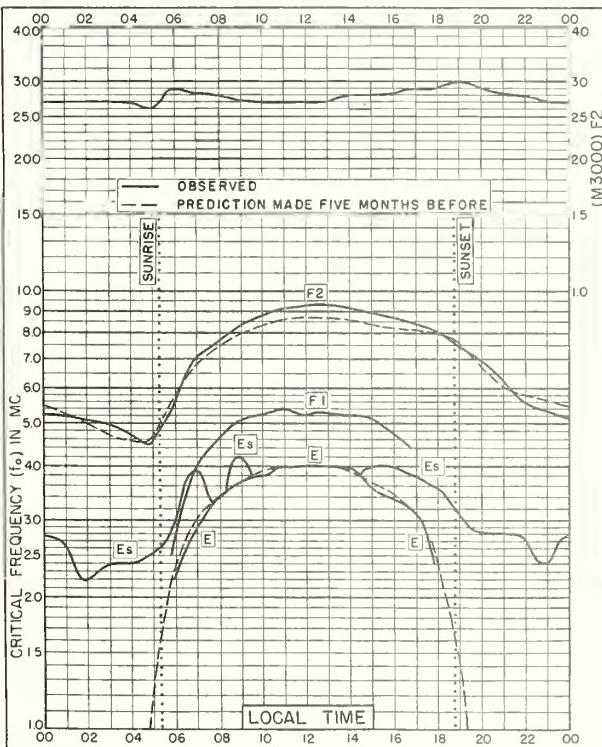


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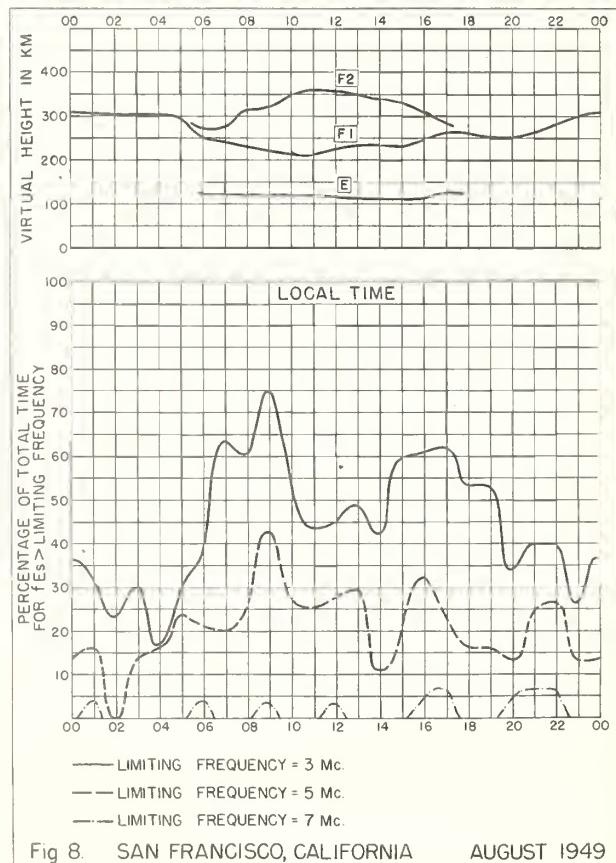
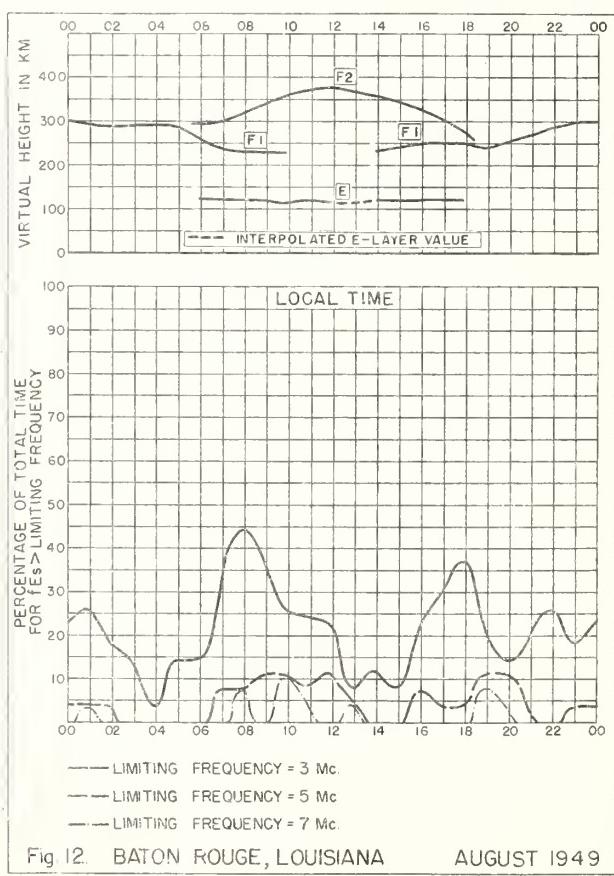
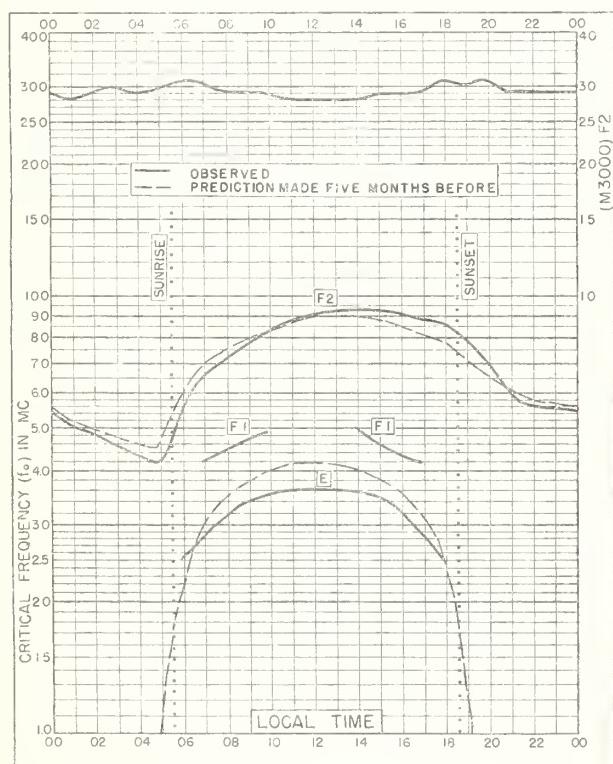
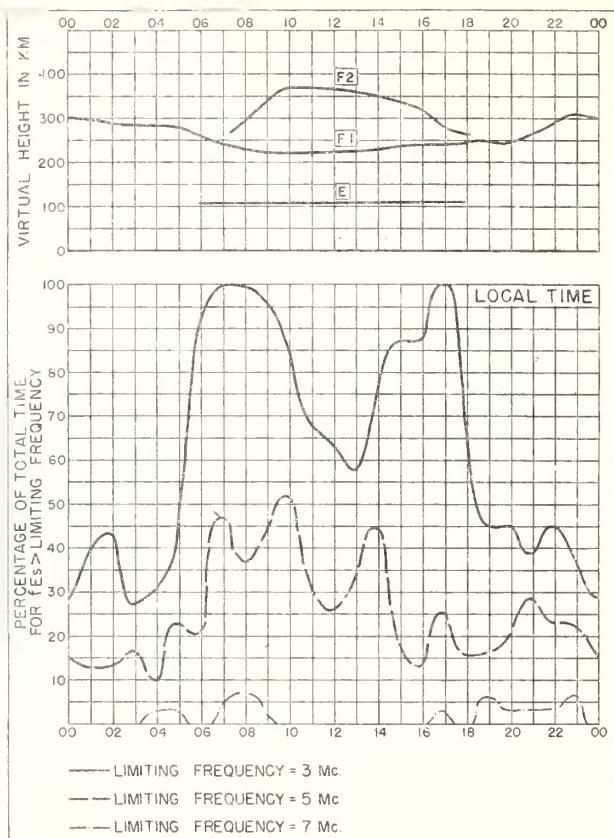
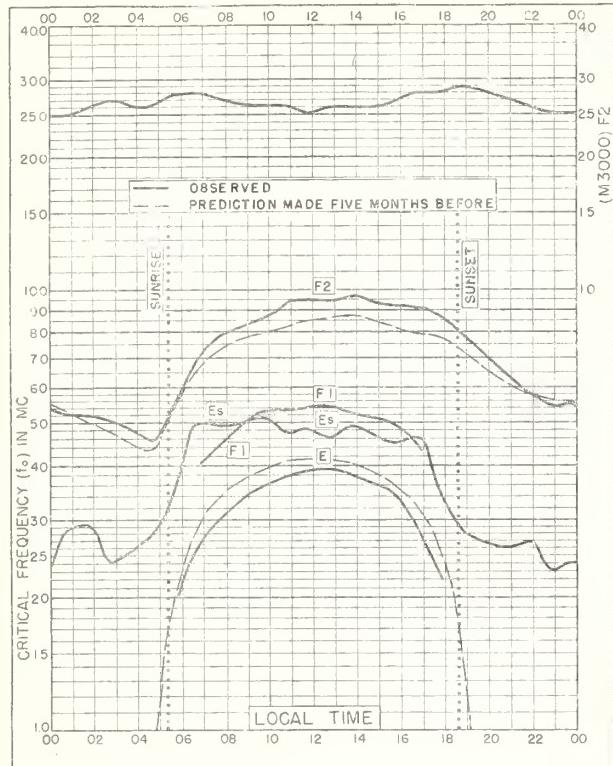
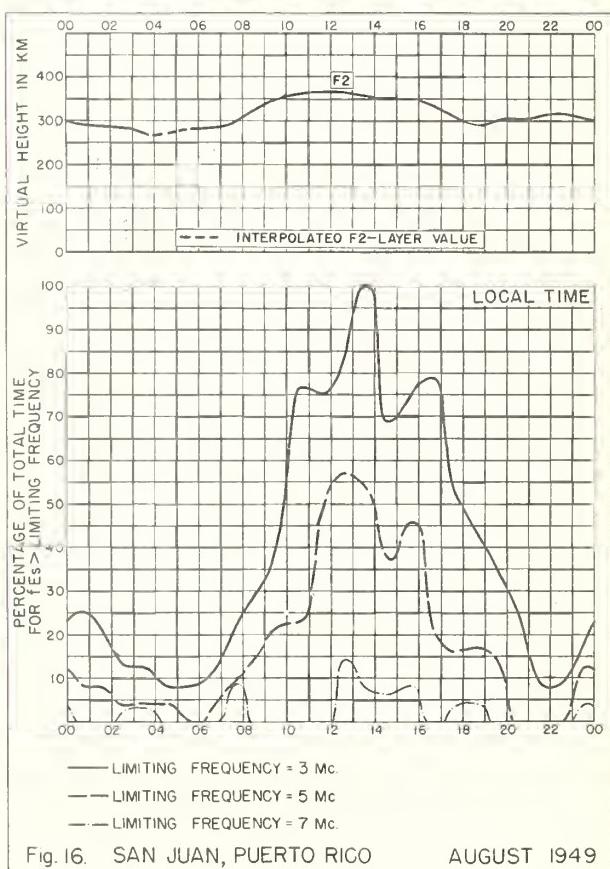
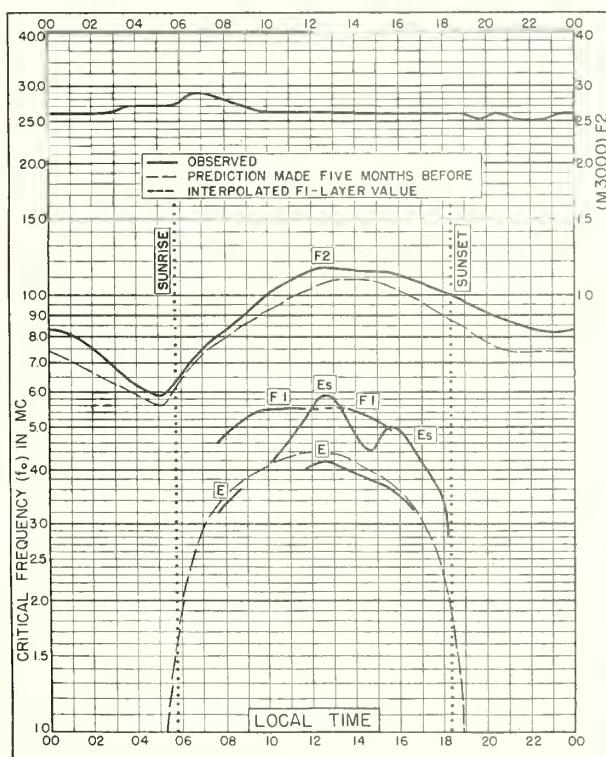
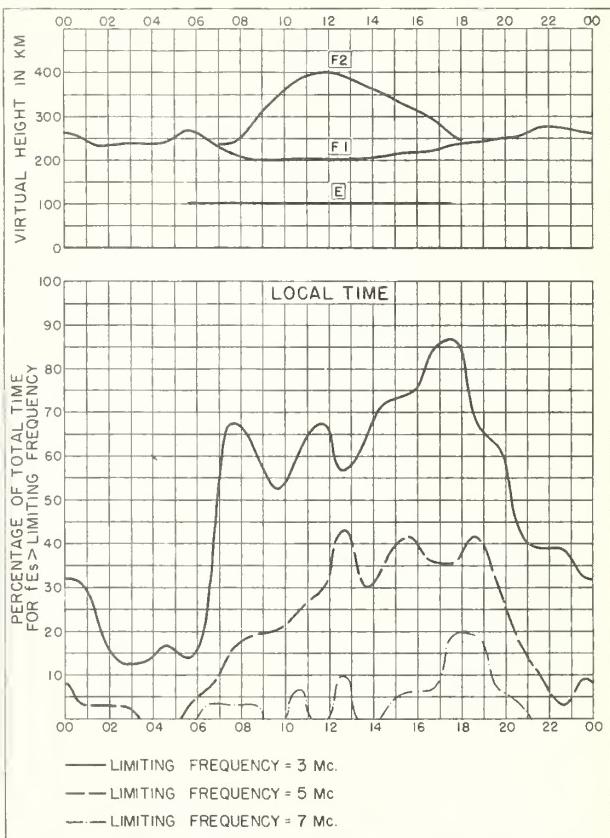
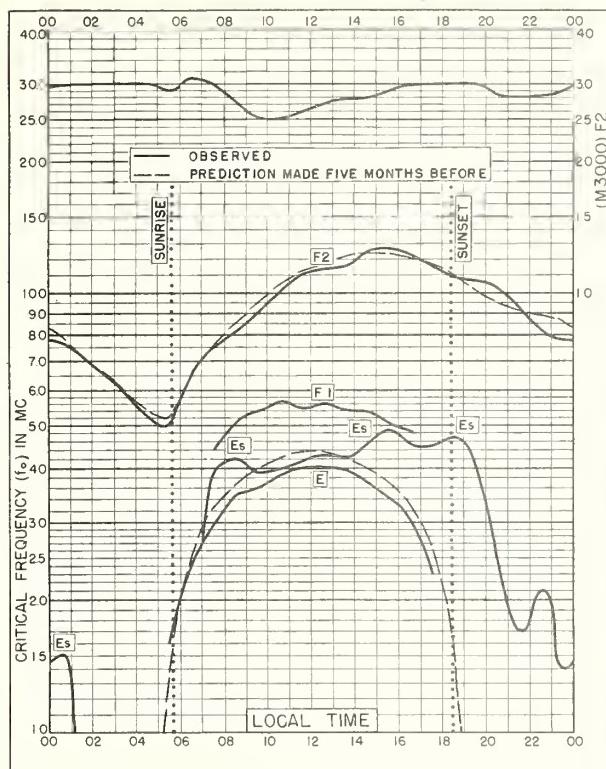


Fig. 8. SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA AUGUST 1949





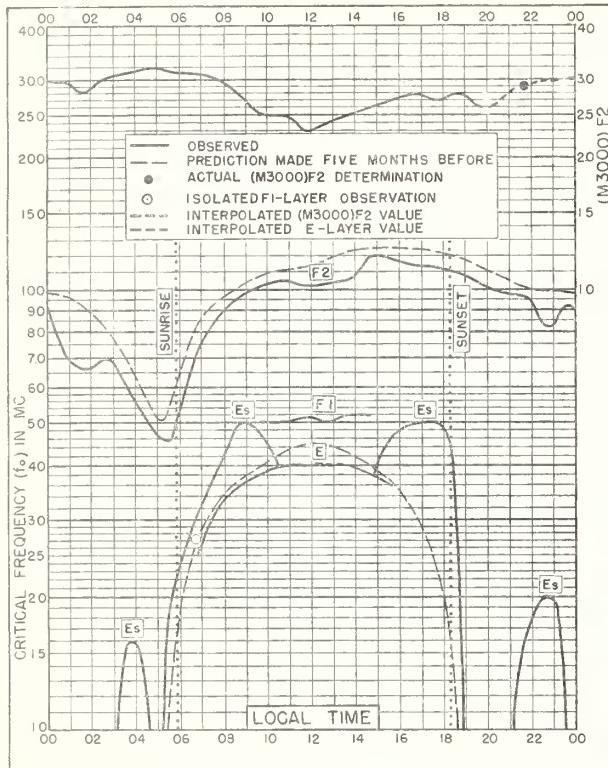


Fig. 17 GUAM I.  
13.6°N, 144.9°E      AUGUST 1949

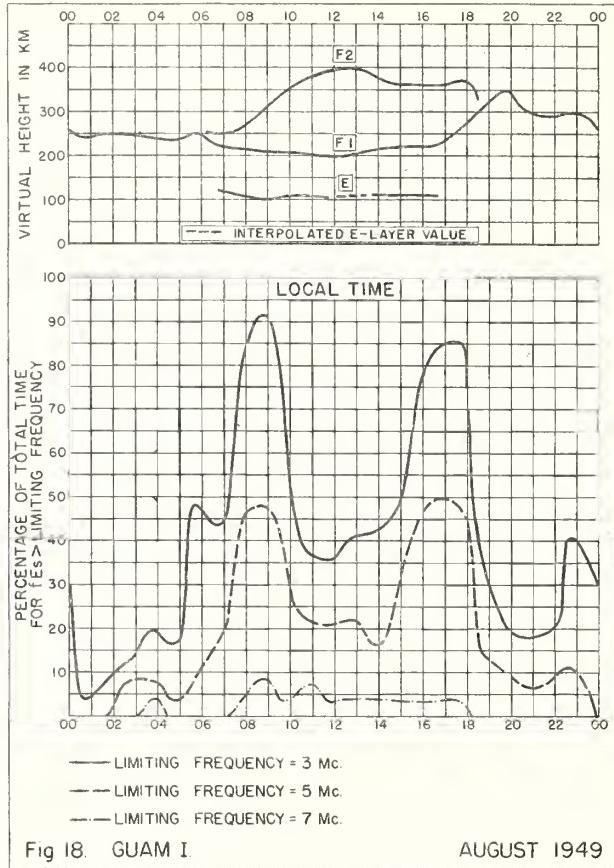


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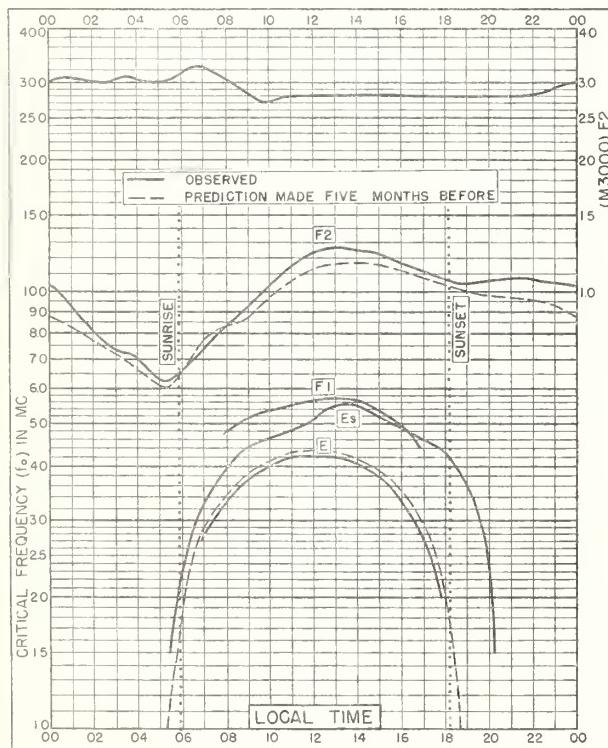


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10.6°N, 61.2°W      AUGUST 1949

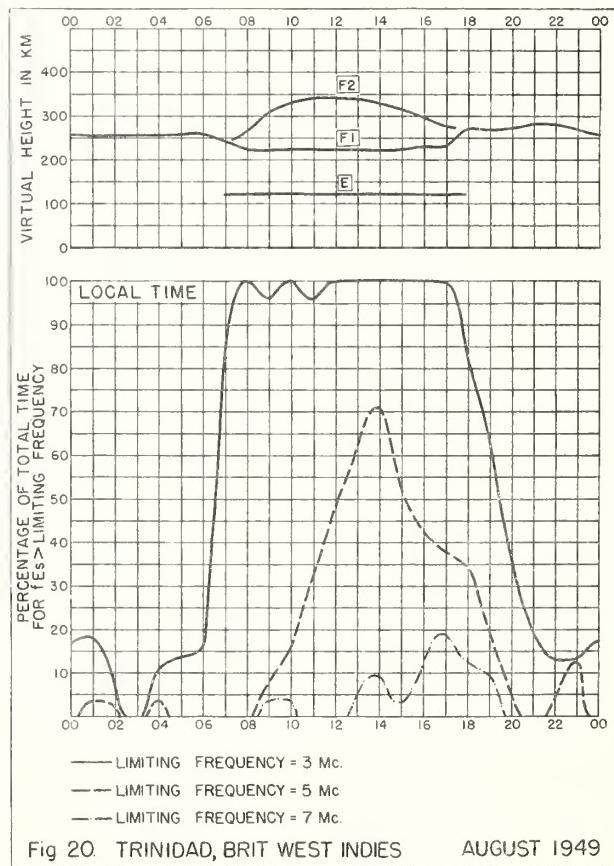
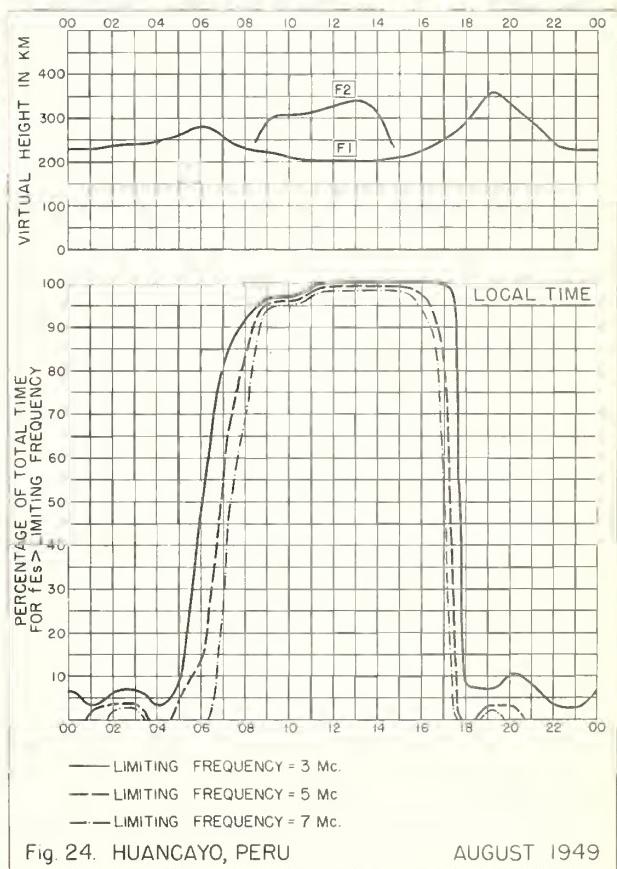
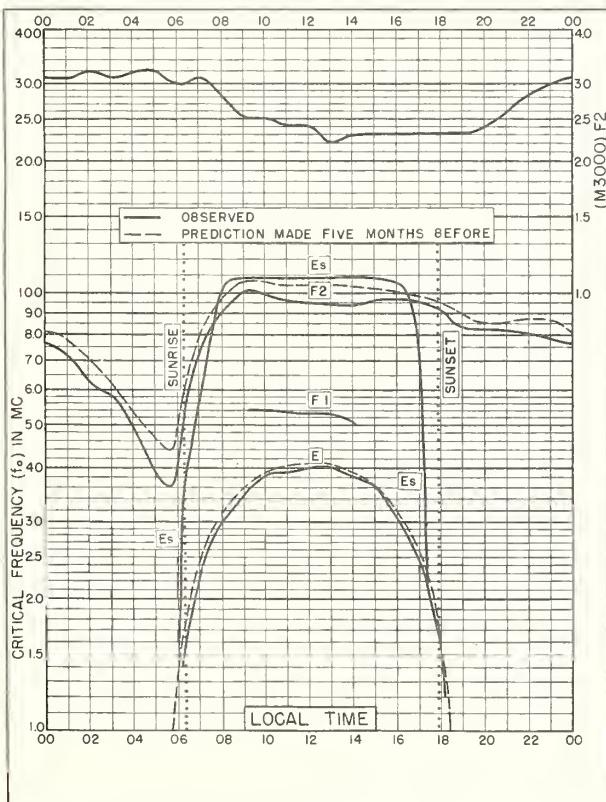
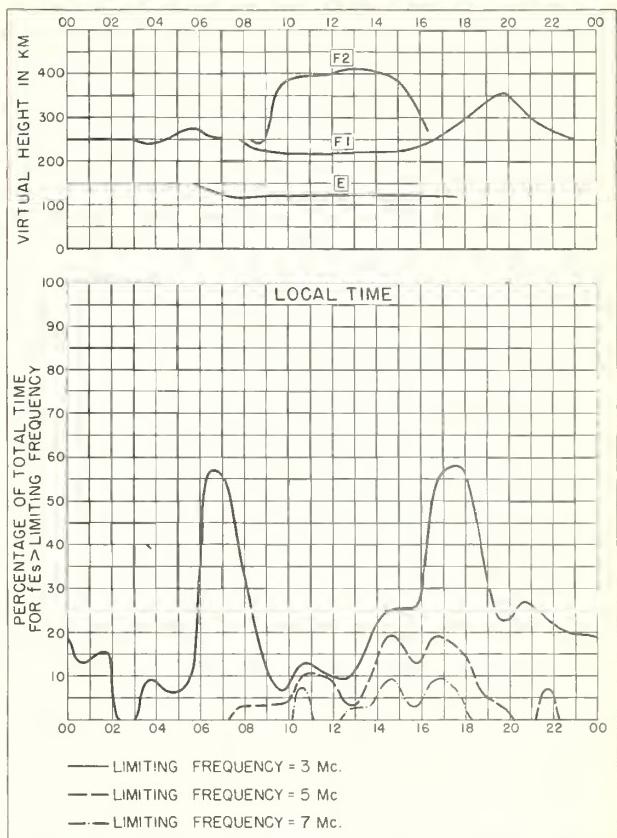
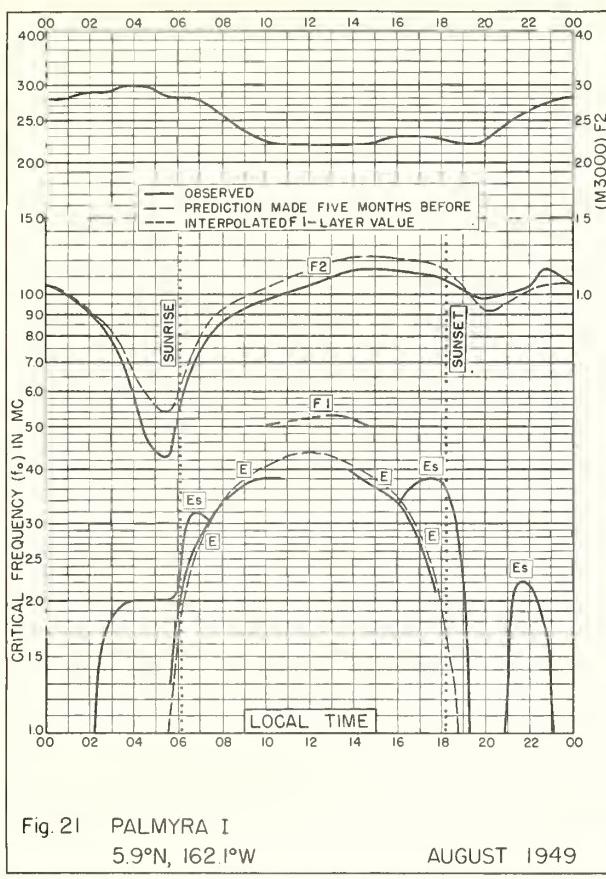


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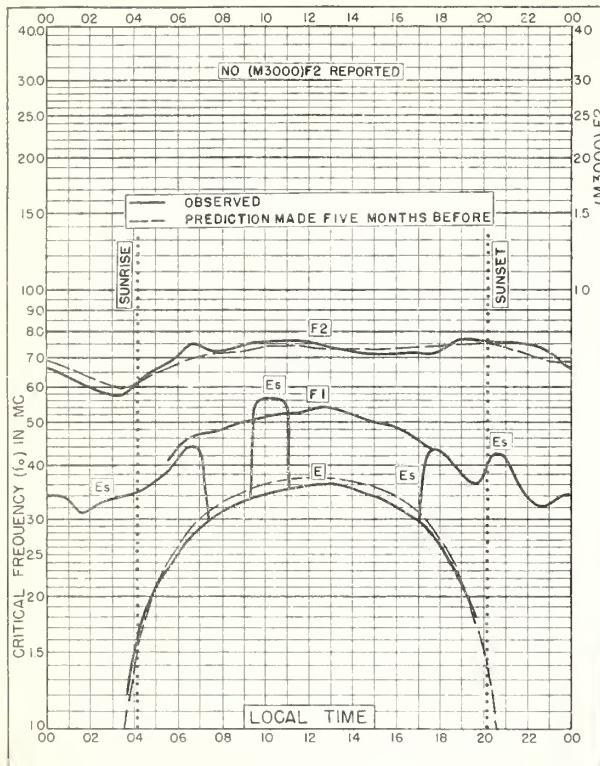


Fig. 25. LINDAU/HARZ, GERMANY

51.6°N, 10.1°E

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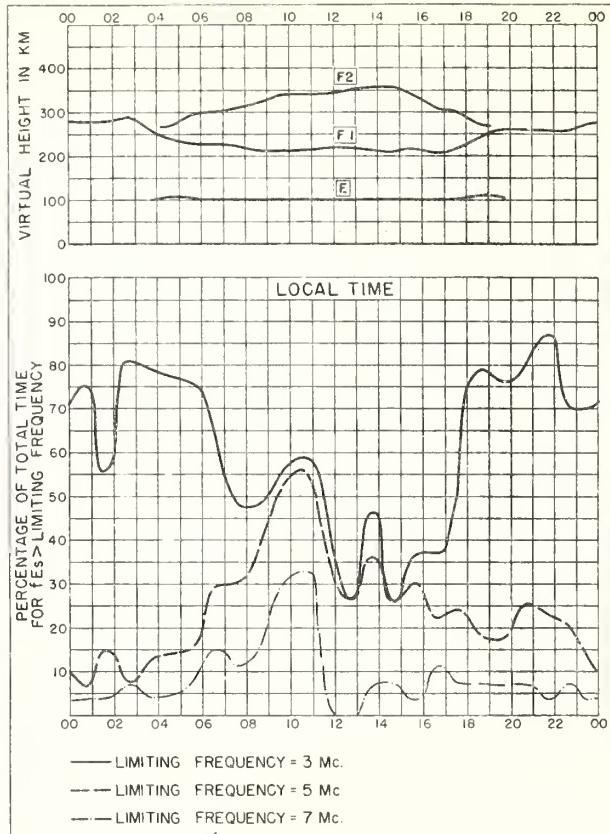


Fig. 26. LINDAU/HARZ, GERMANY

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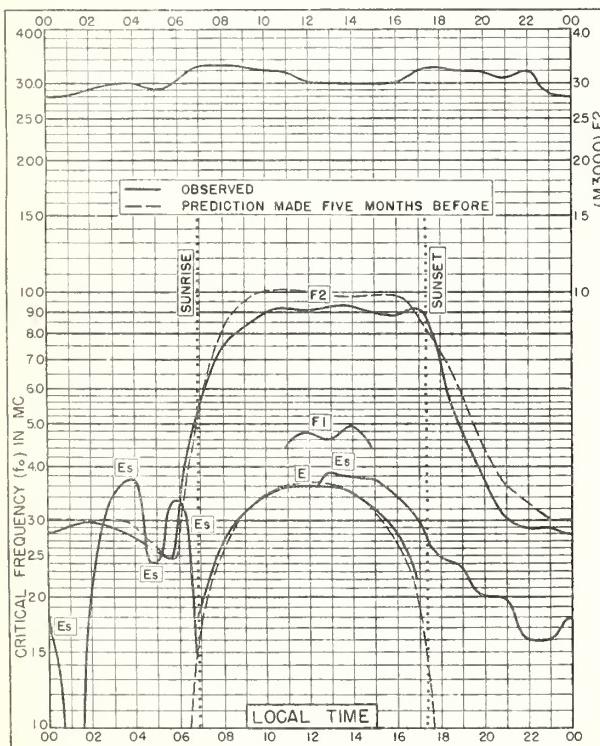


Fig 27 JOHANNESBURG, U. OF S AFRICA

26.2°S, 28.0°E

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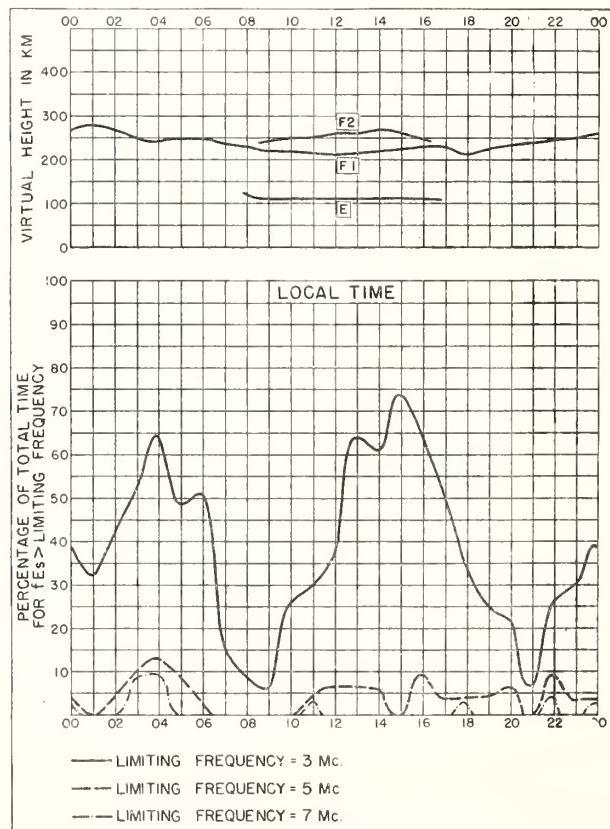


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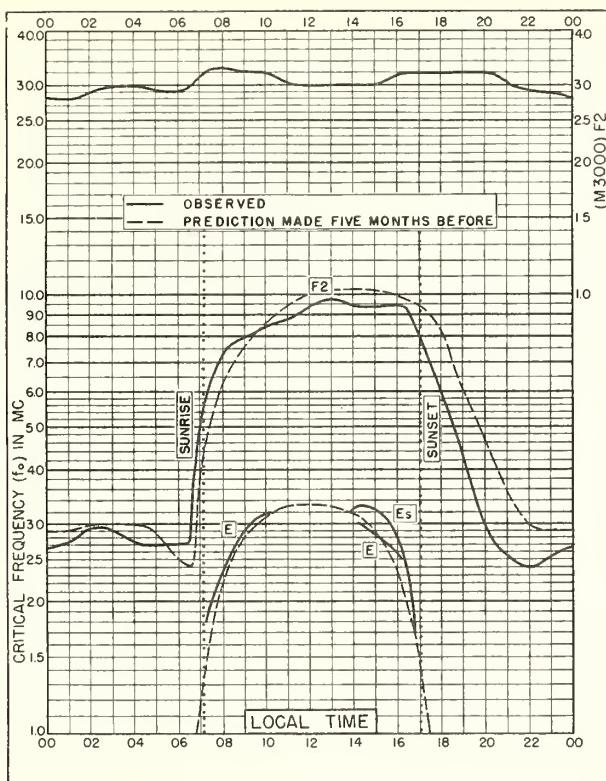


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34.2°S, 18.3°E

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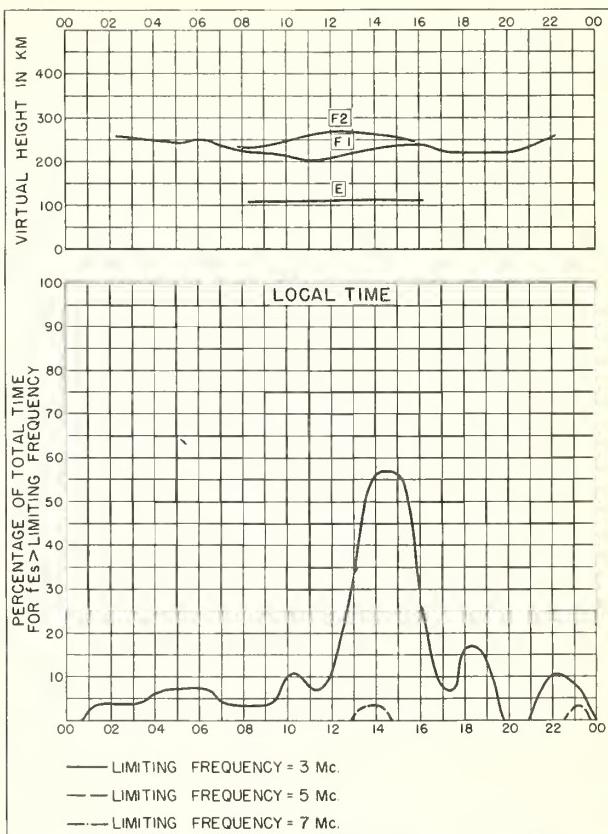


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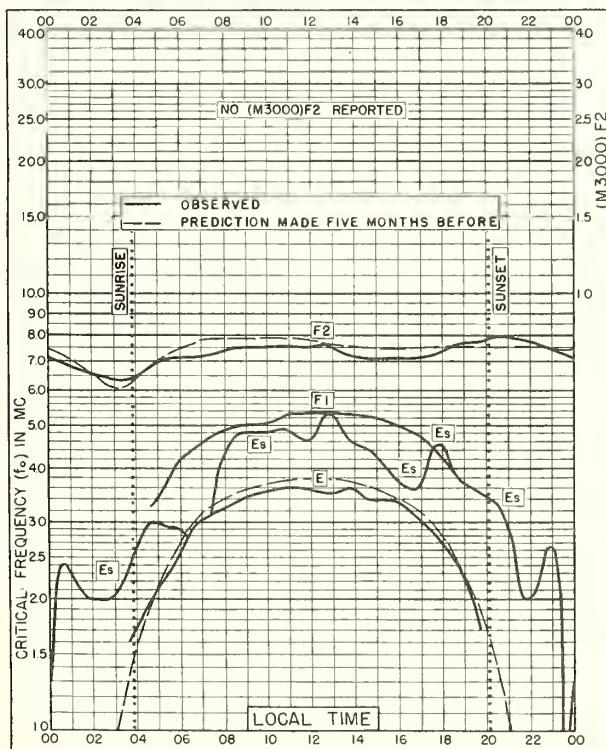


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51.6°N, 10.1°E

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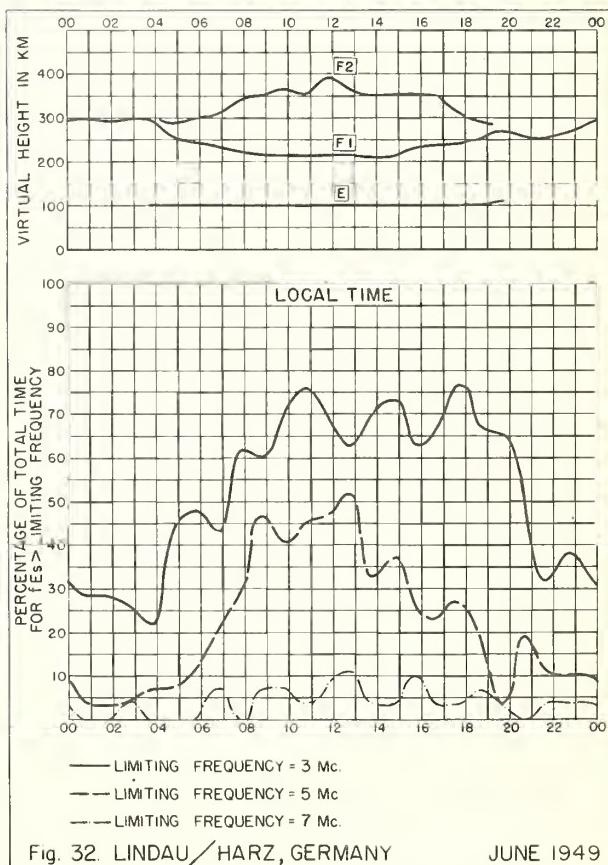


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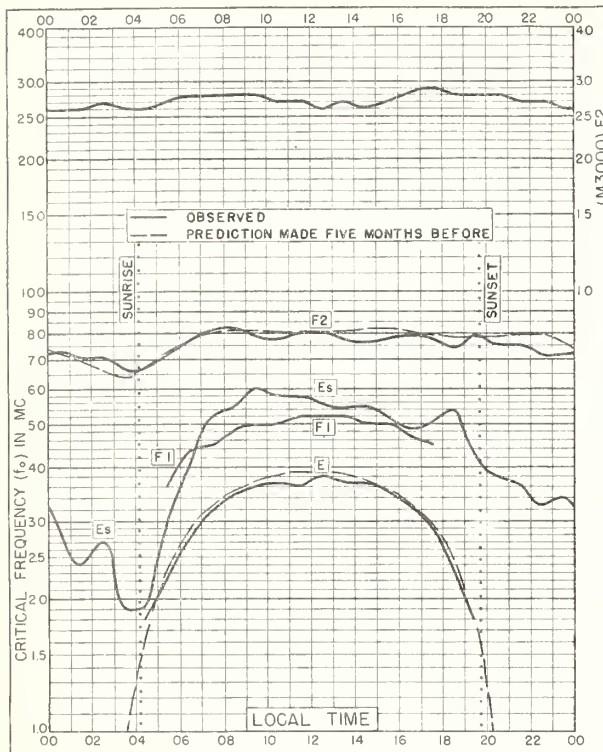


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45.4°N, 141.7°E

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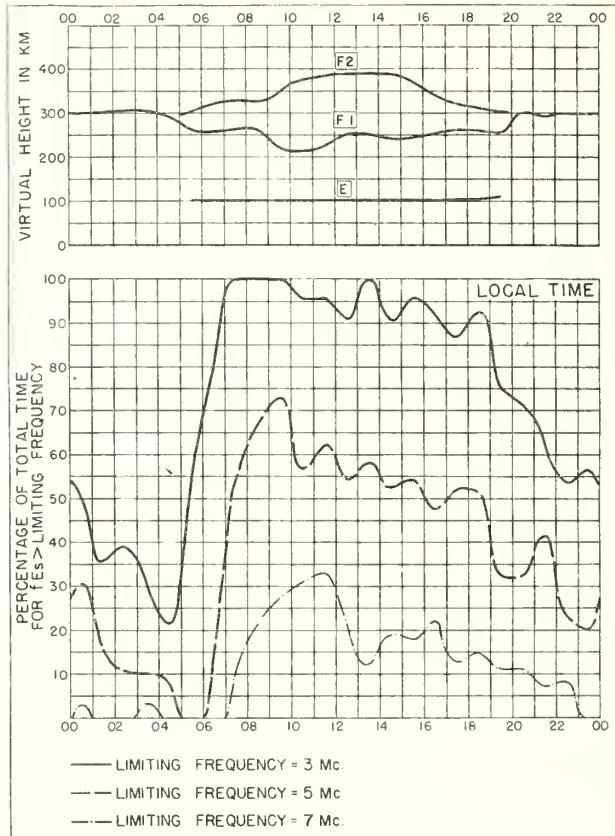


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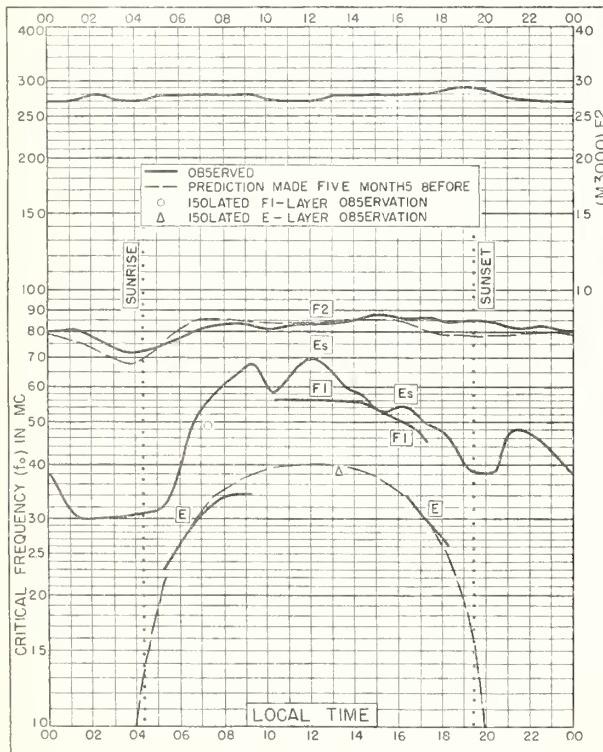


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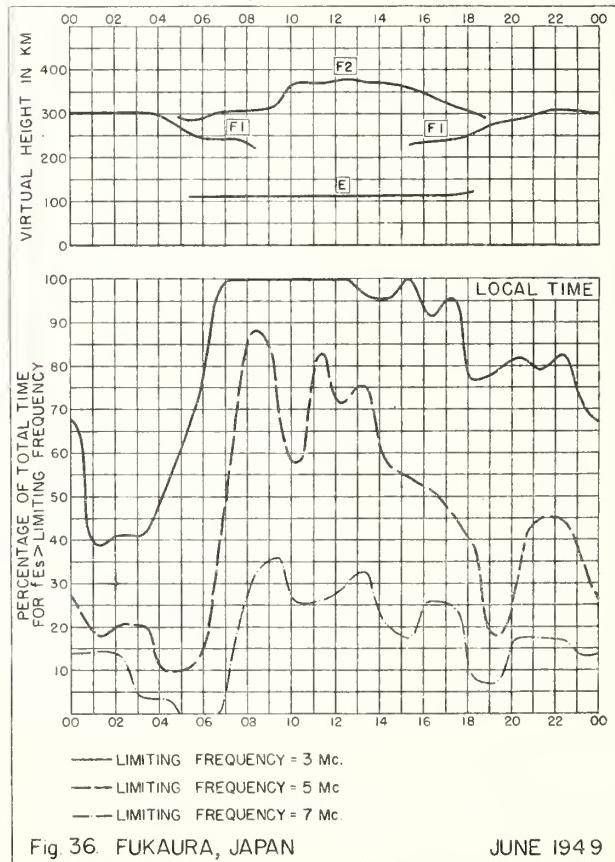


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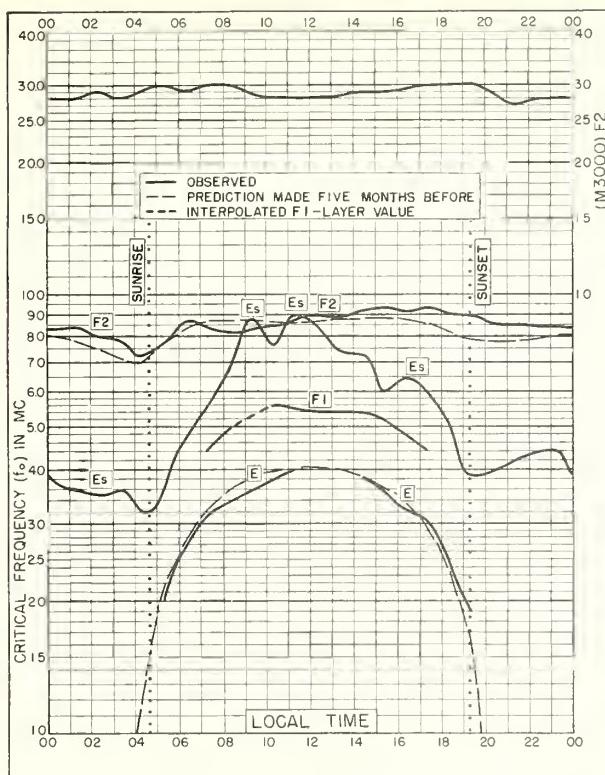


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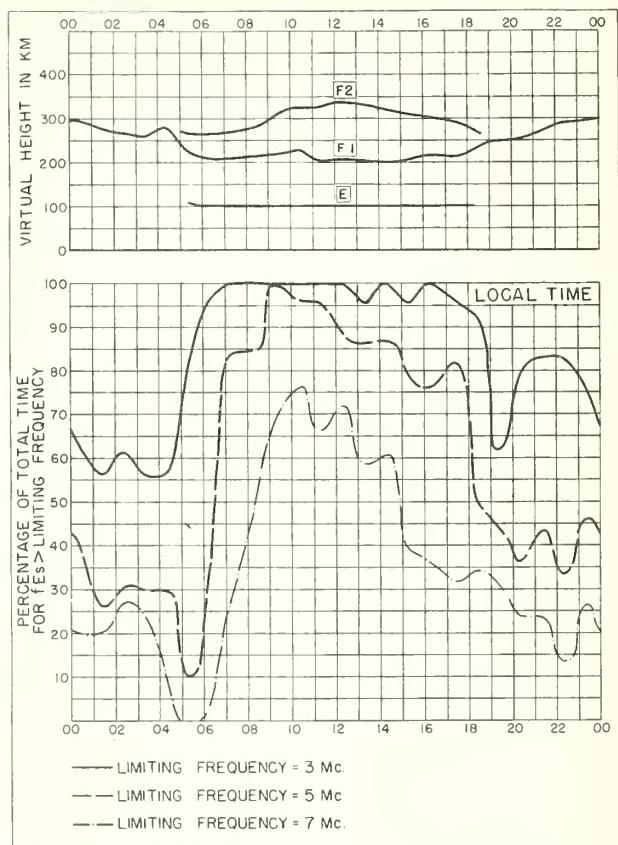


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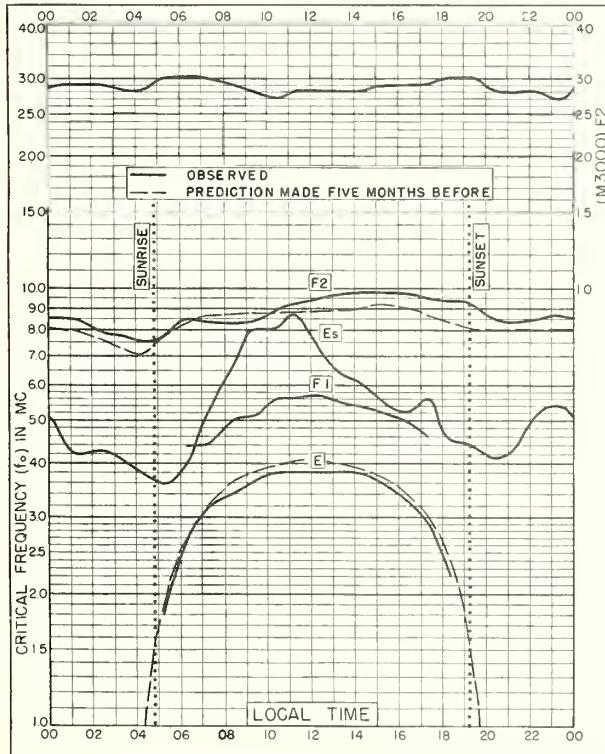


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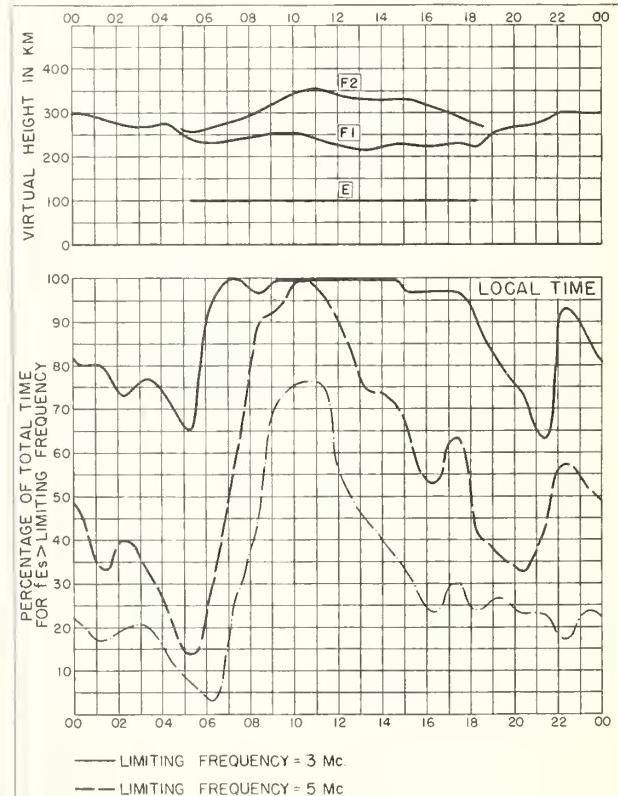


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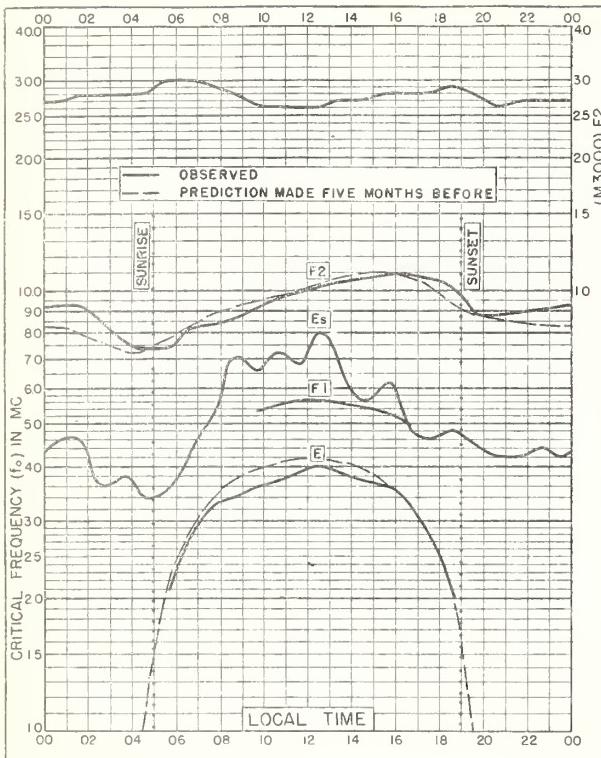


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31.2°N, 130.6°E

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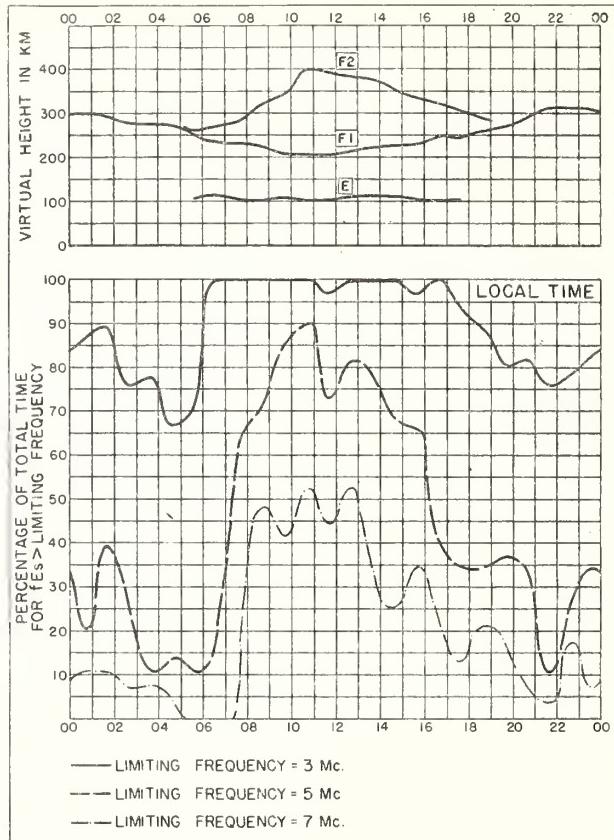


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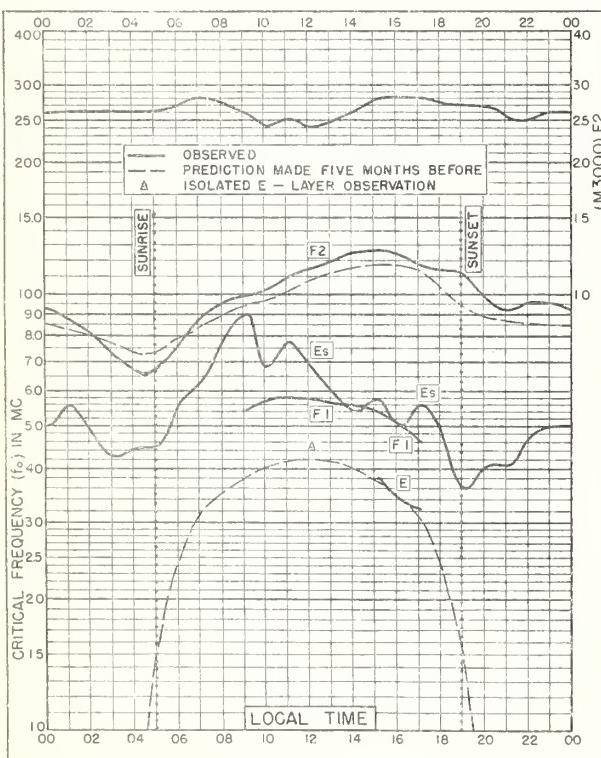


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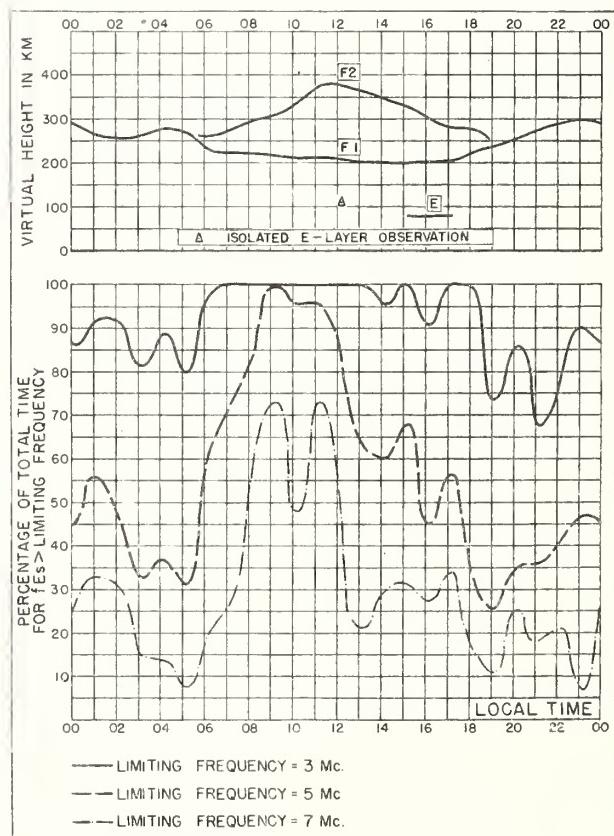


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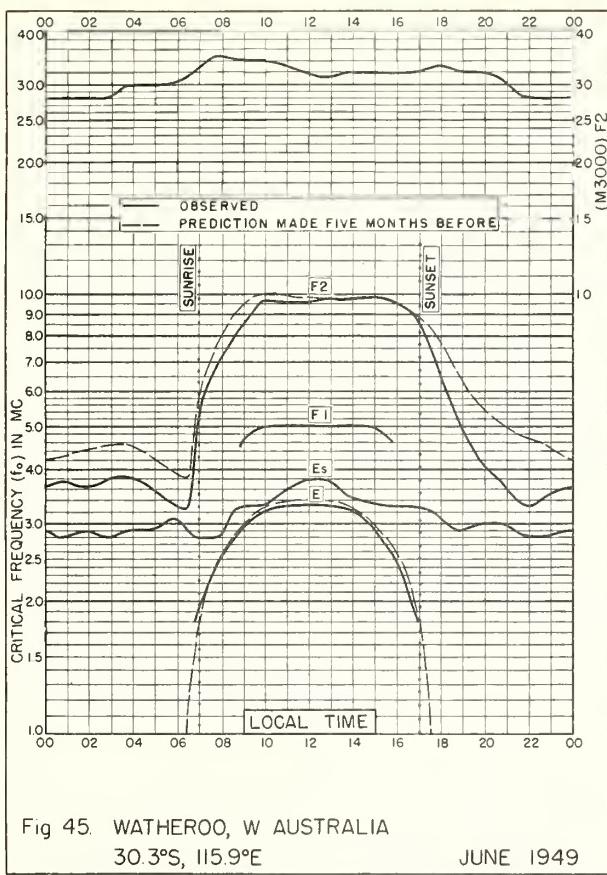


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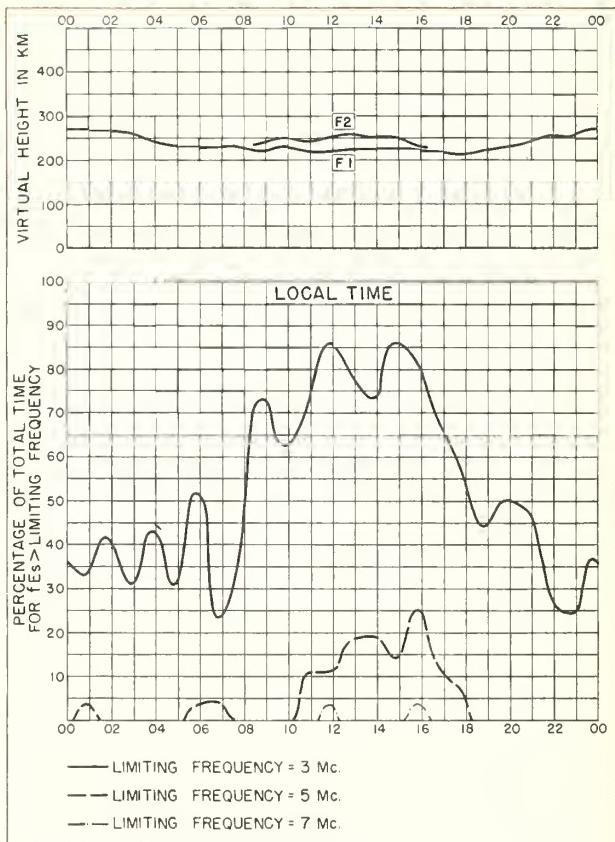


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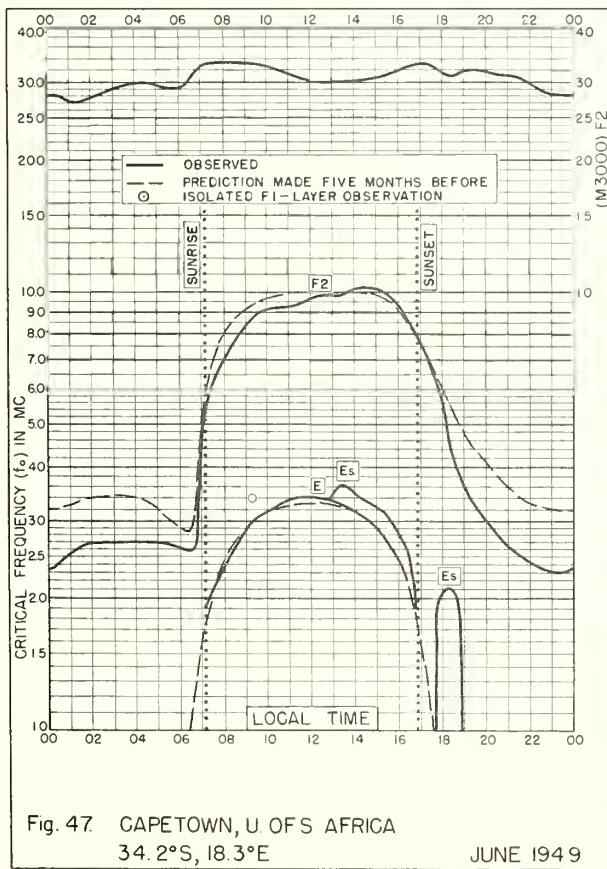


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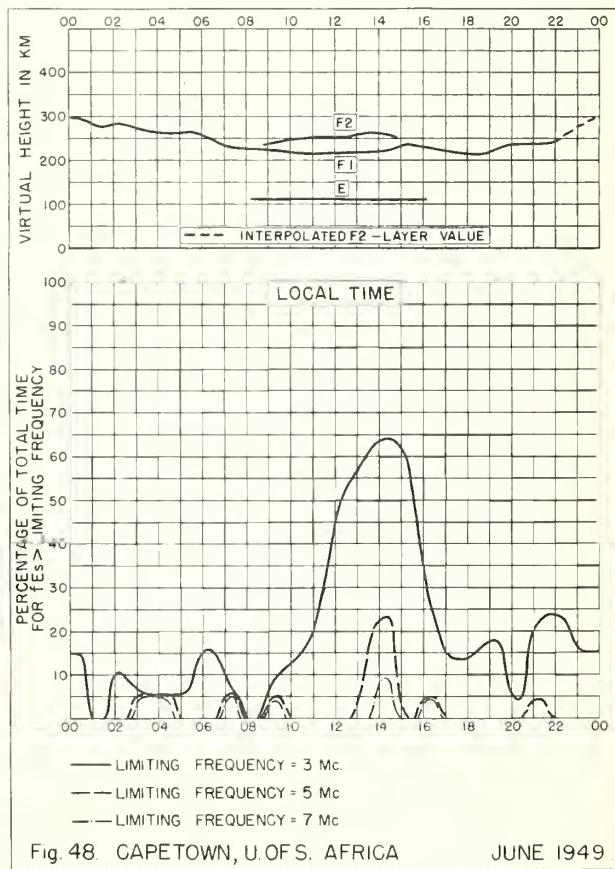


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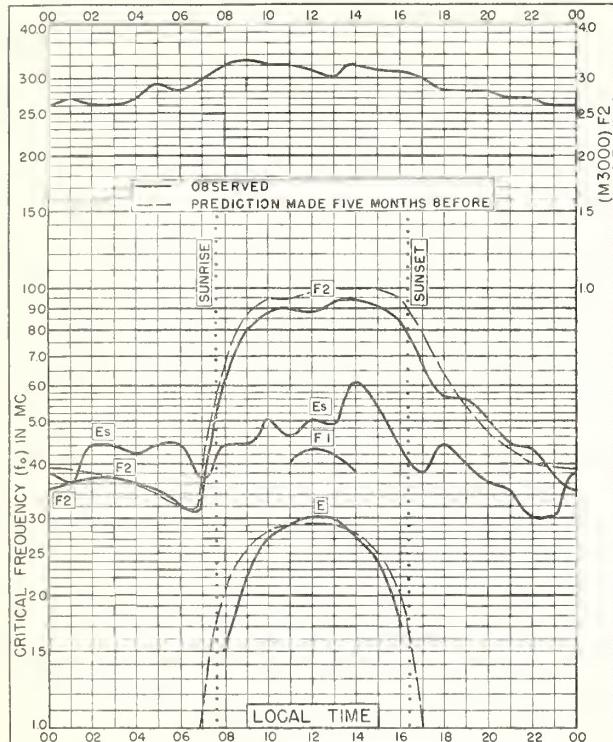


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43.5°S, 172.7°E

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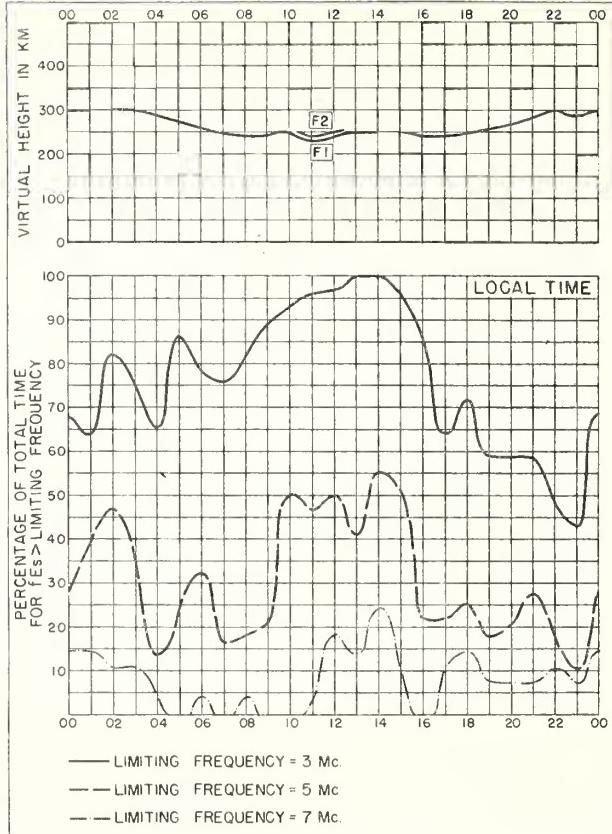


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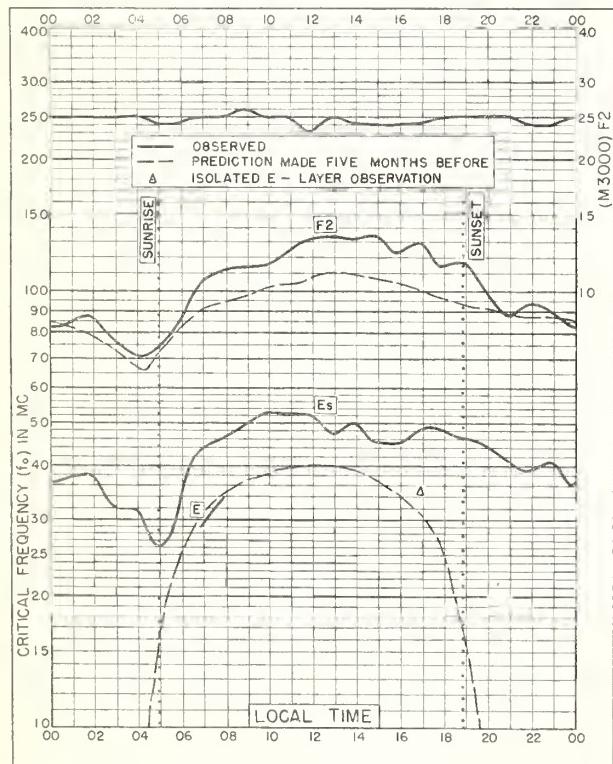


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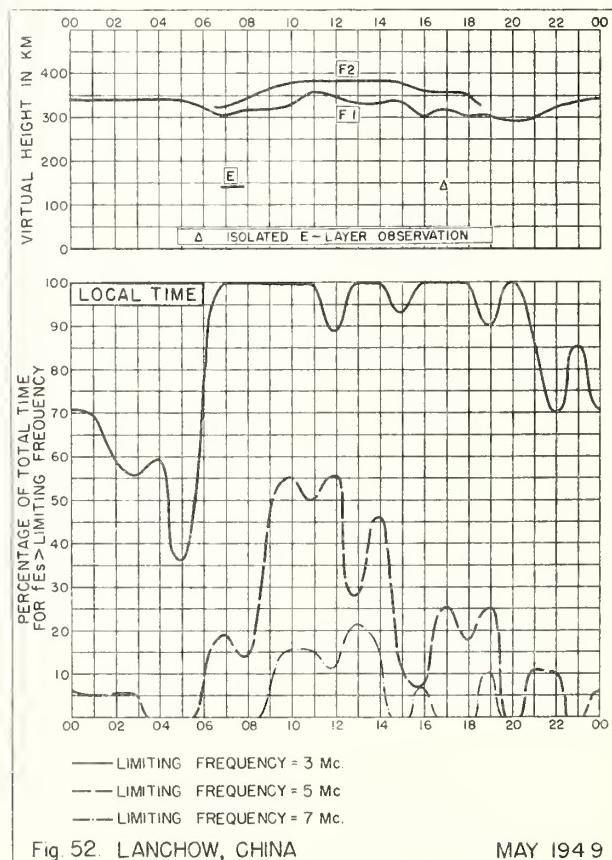
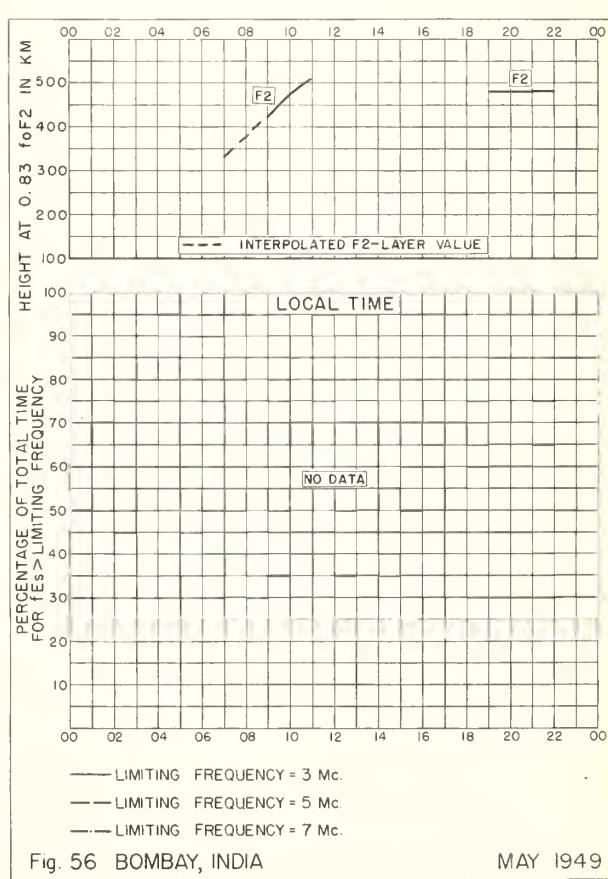
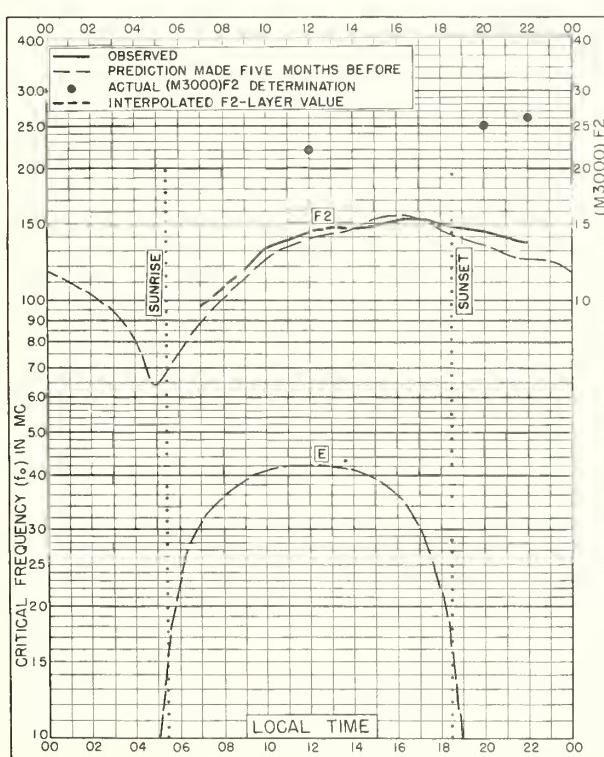
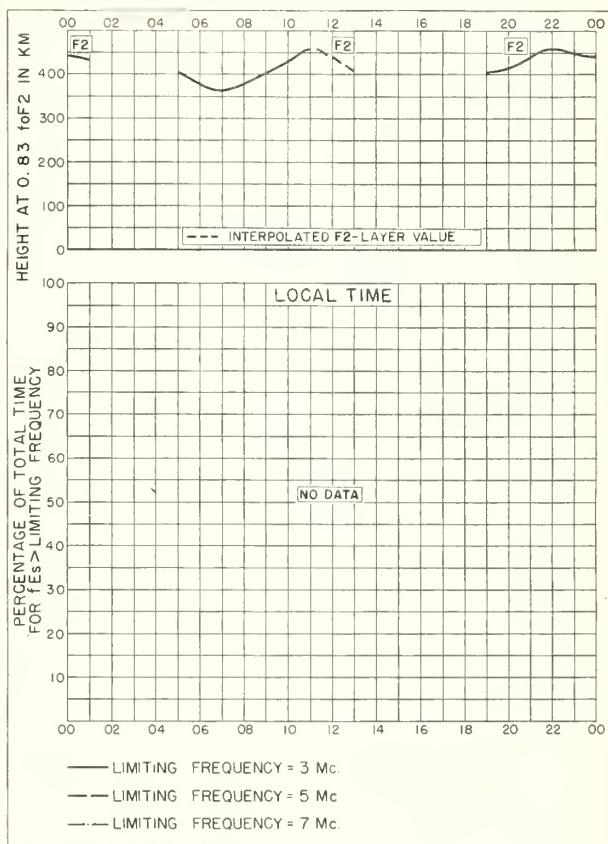
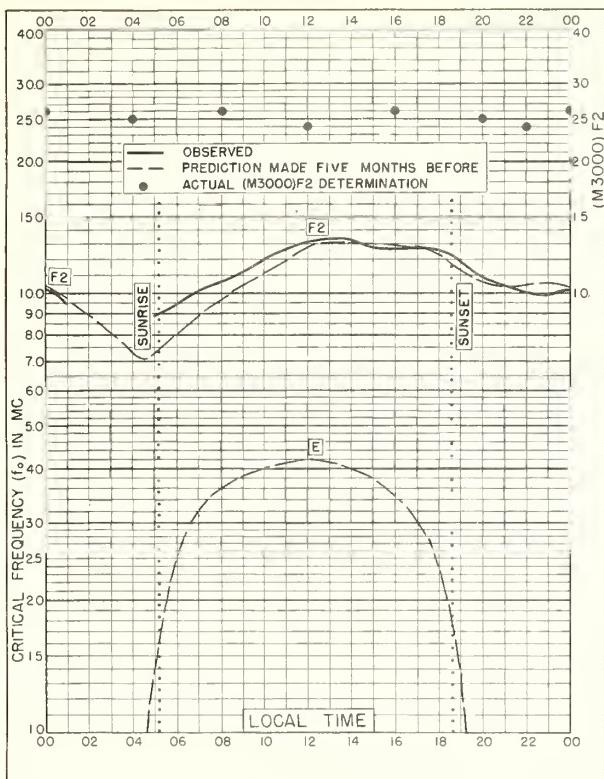
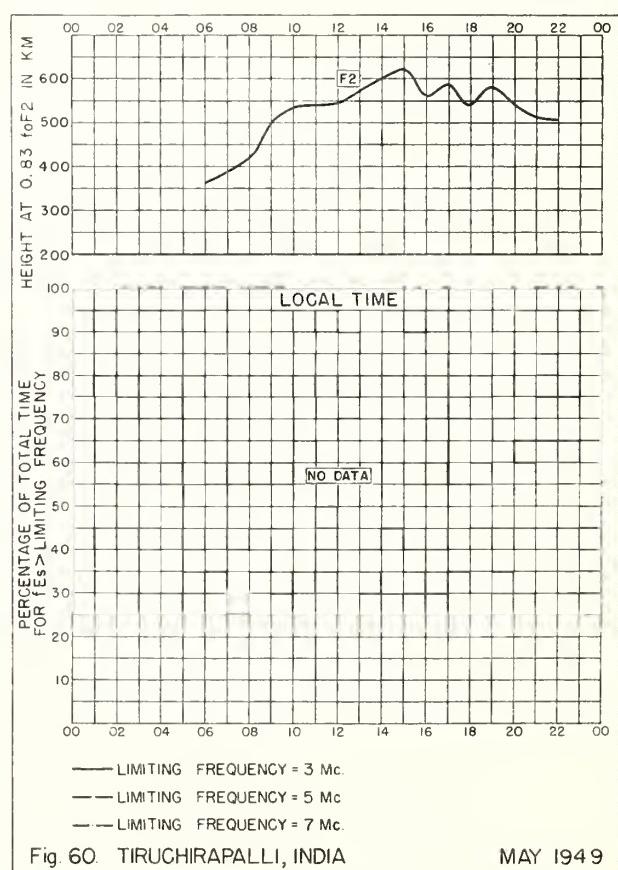
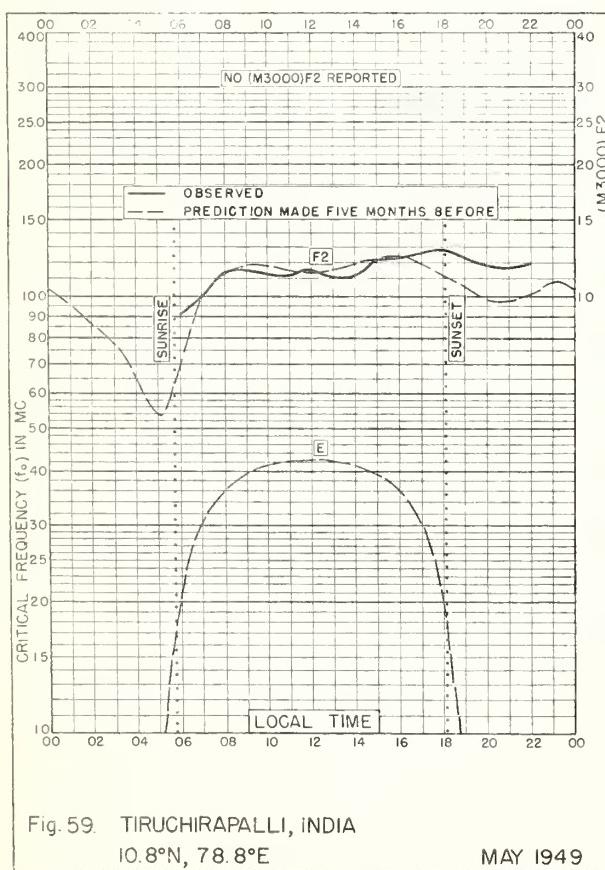
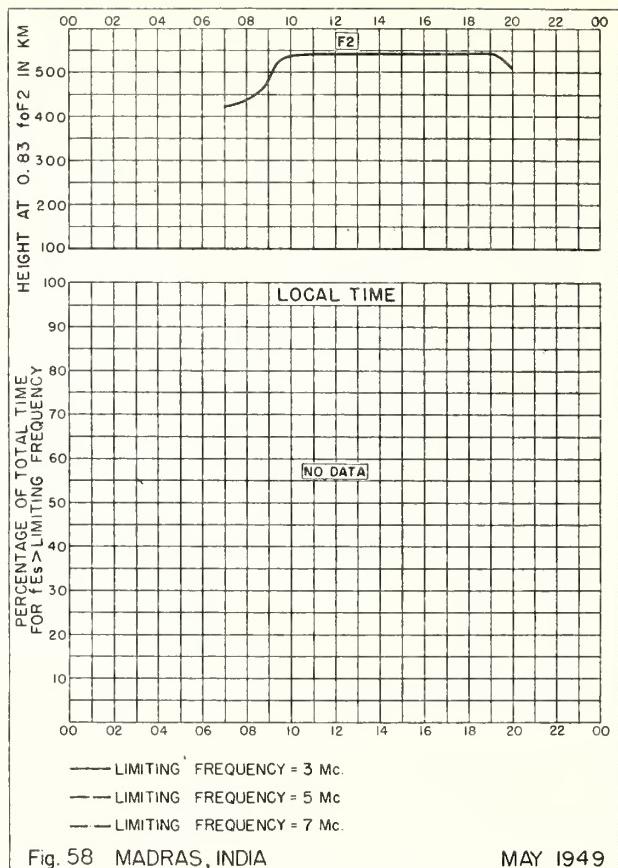
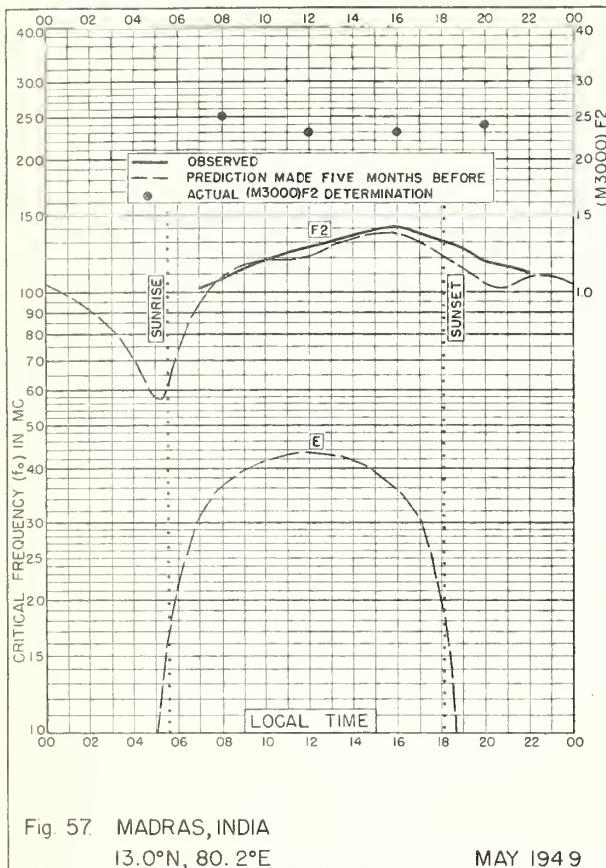


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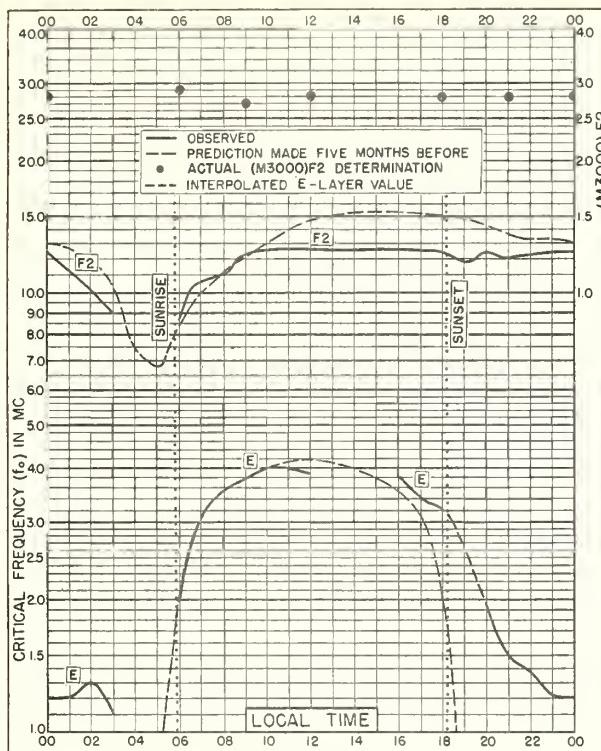


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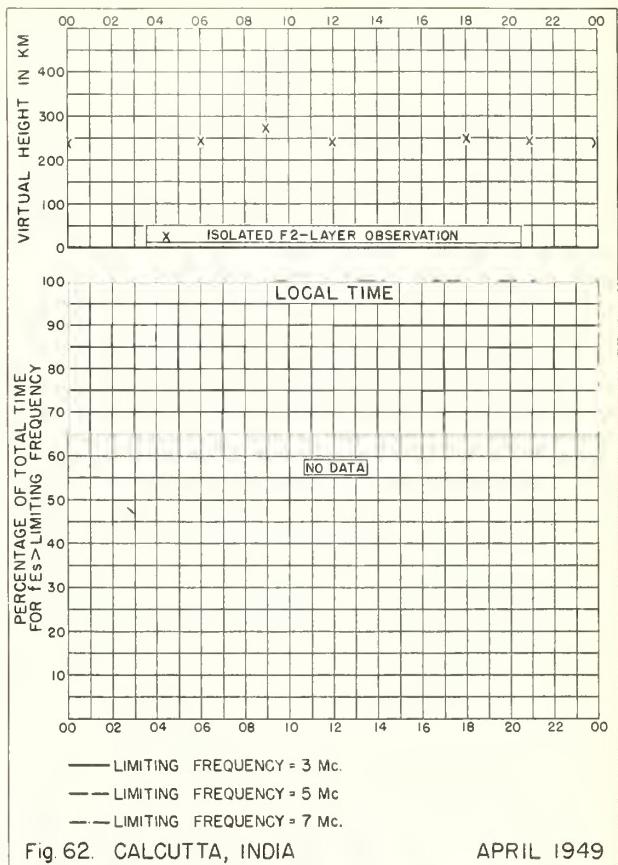


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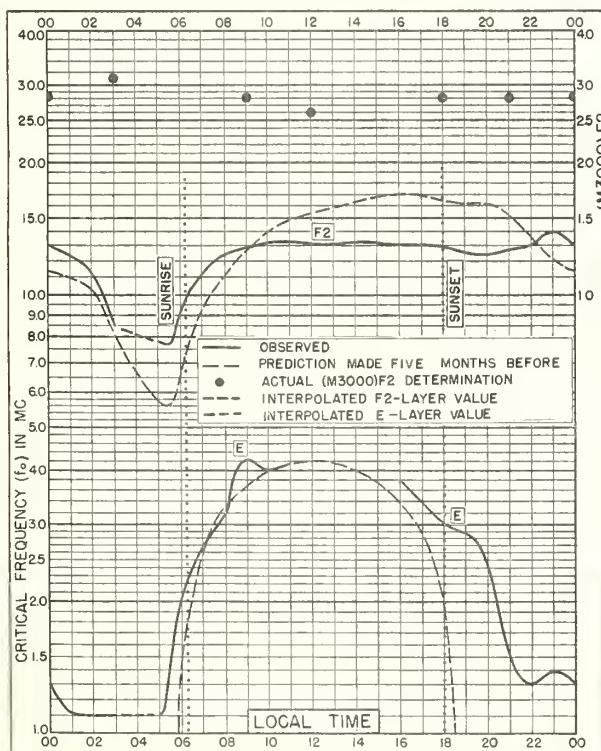


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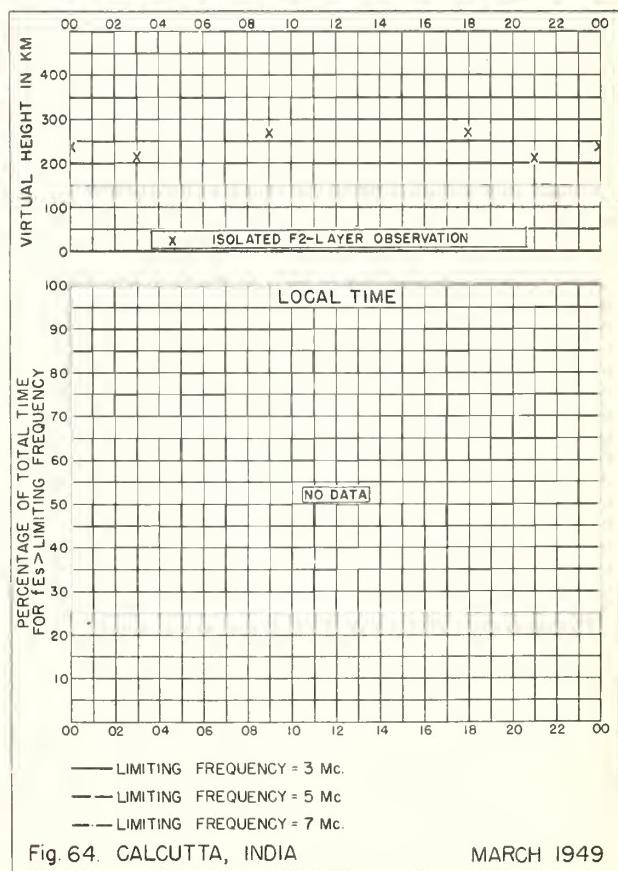


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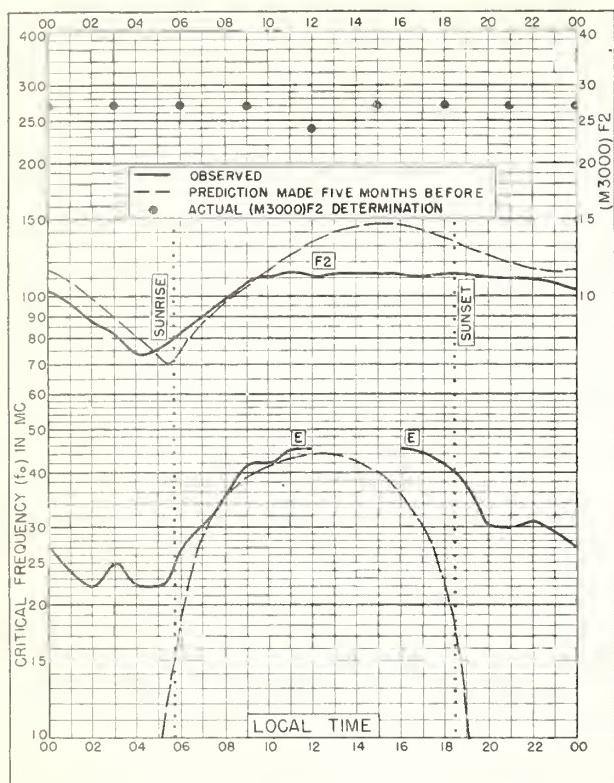


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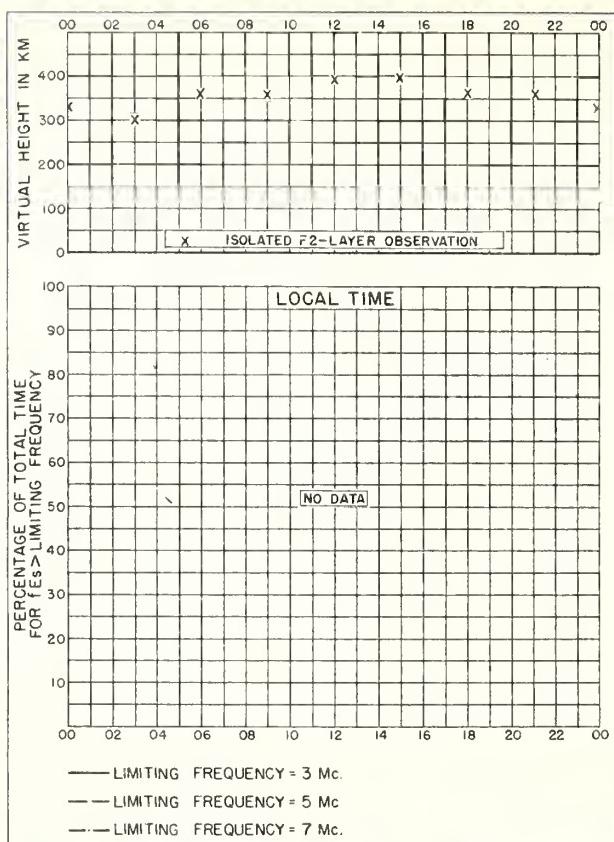


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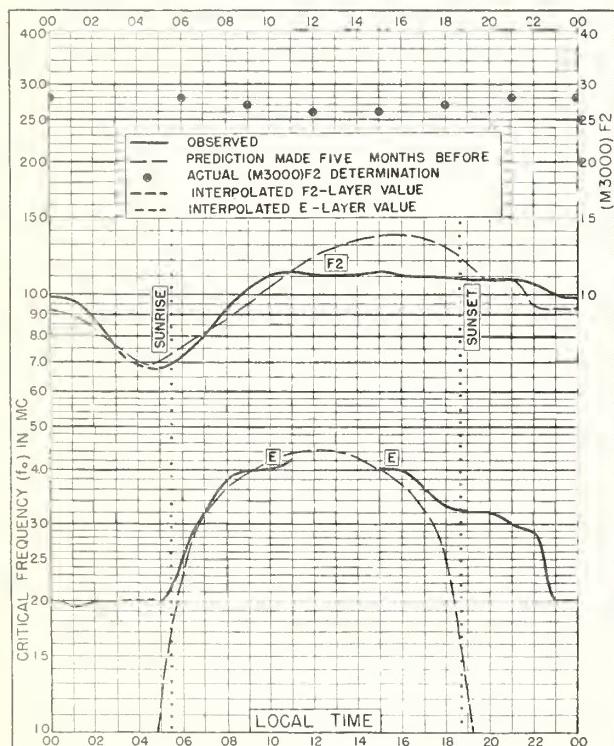


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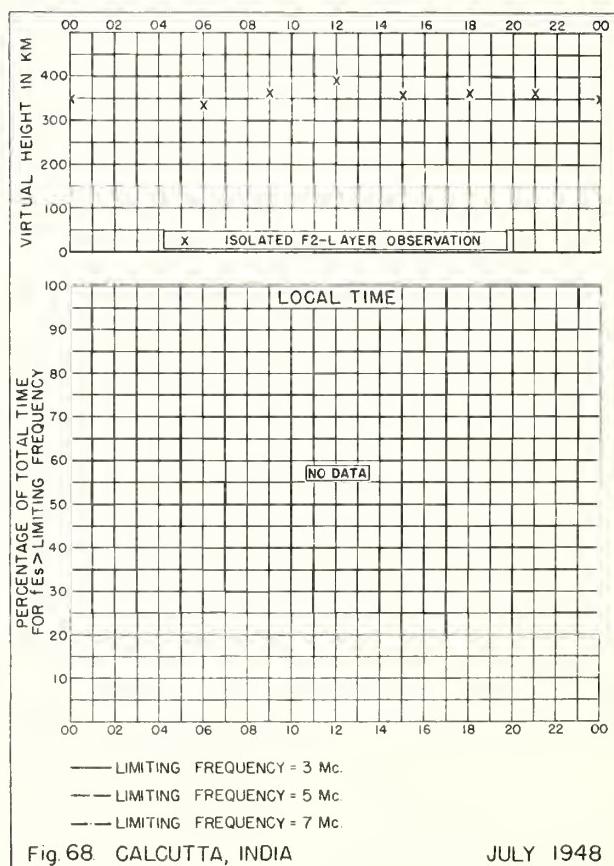


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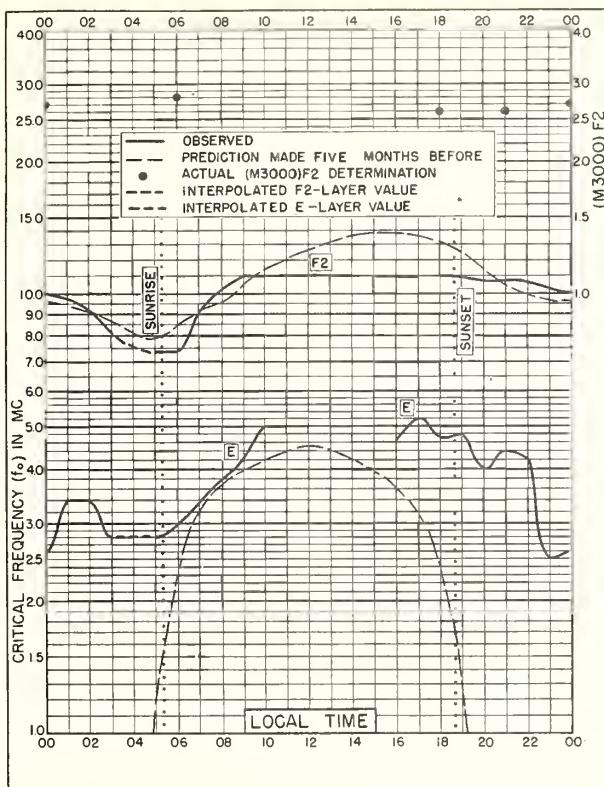


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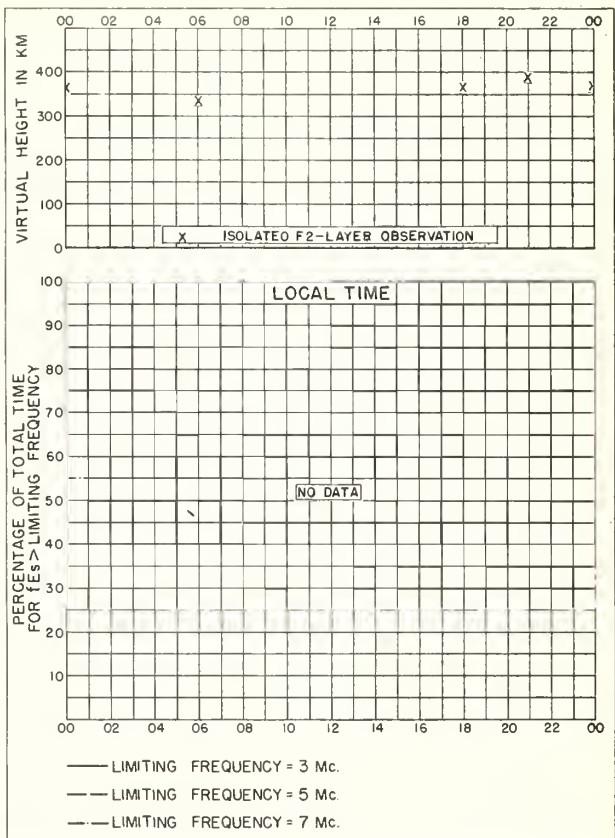


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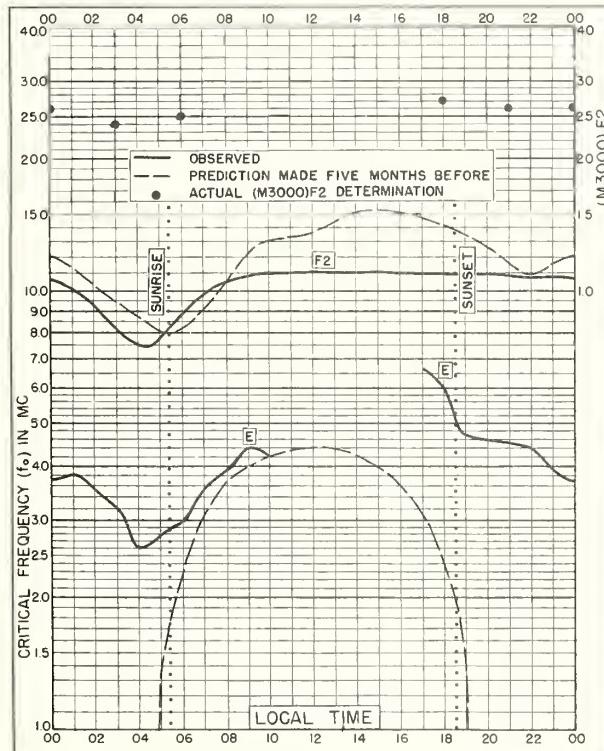


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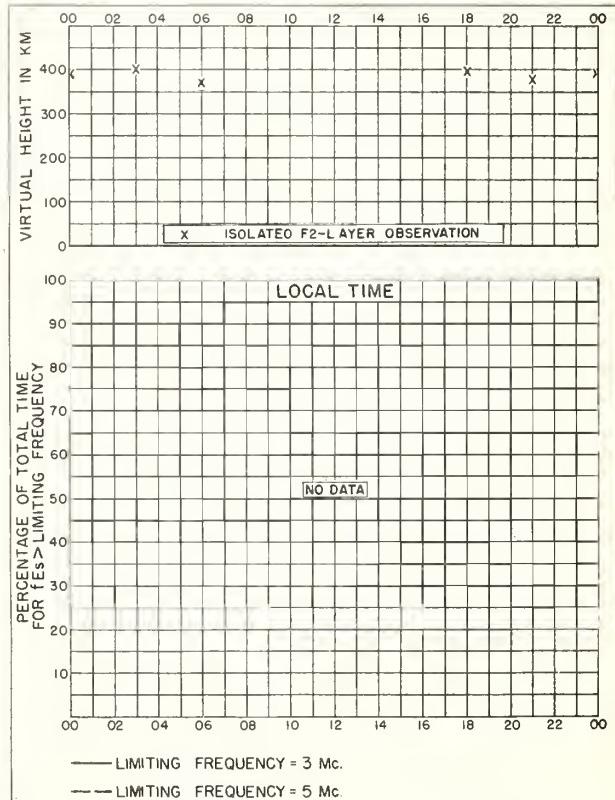


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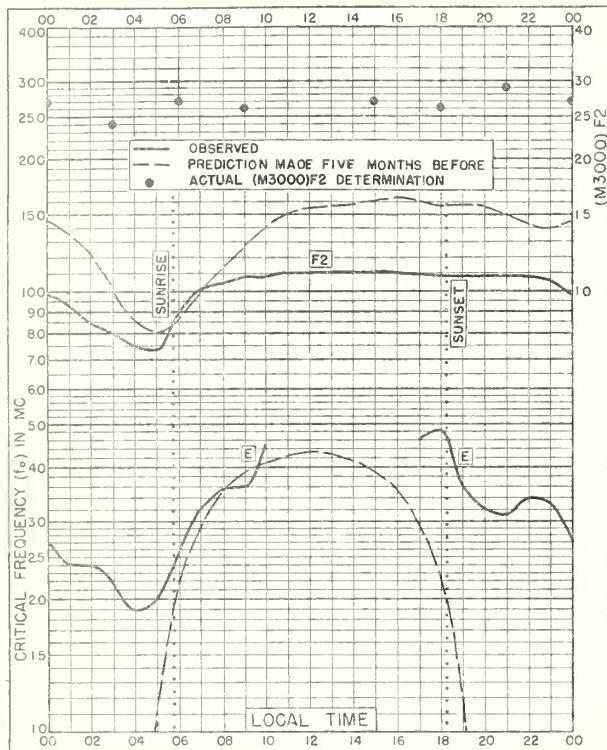


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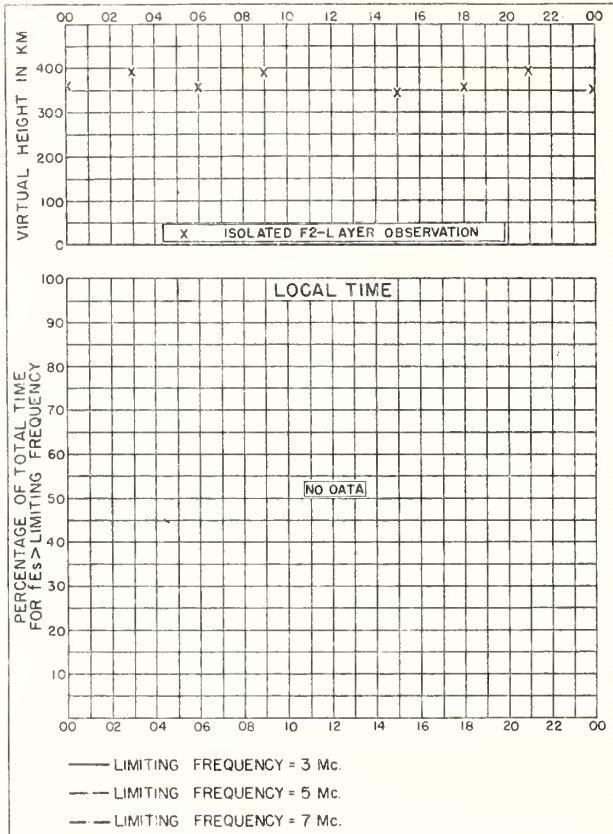


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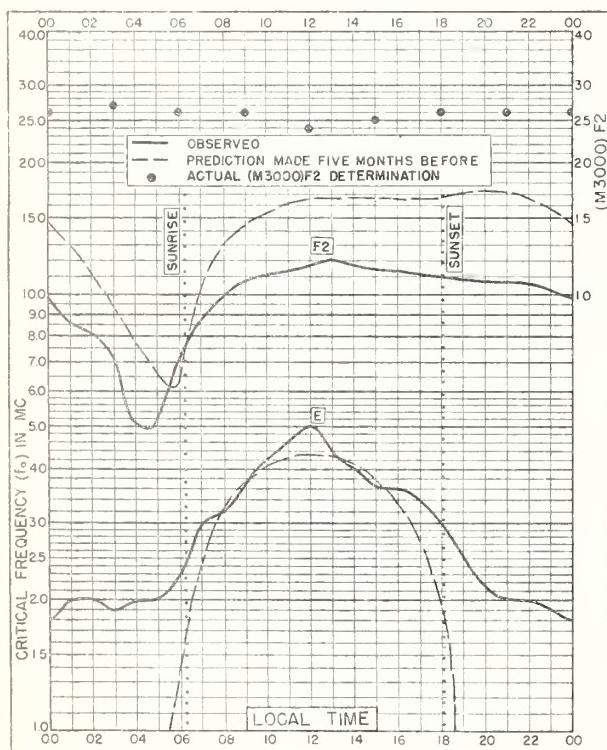


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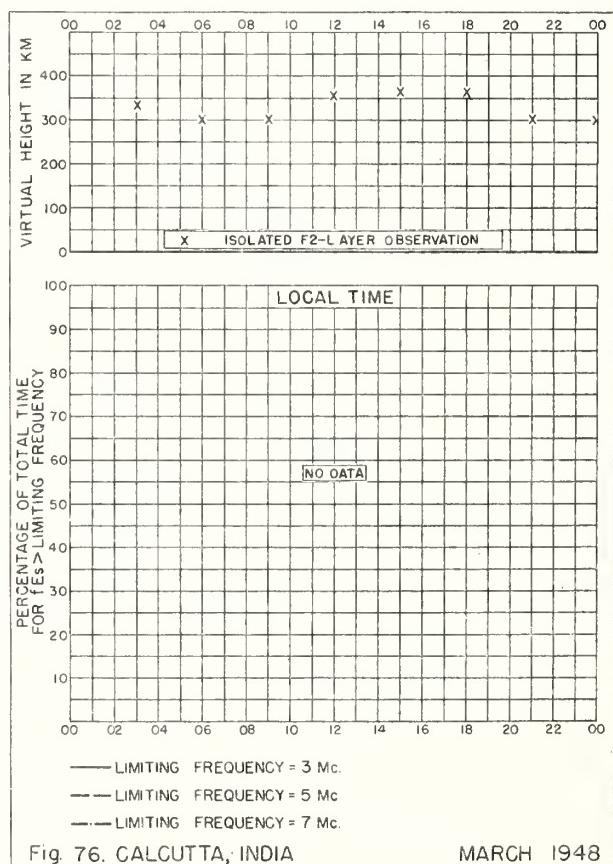
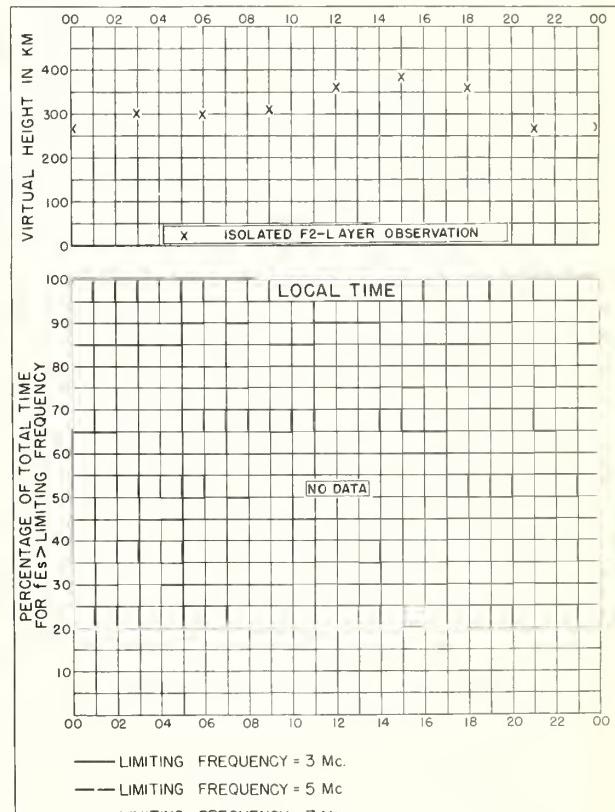
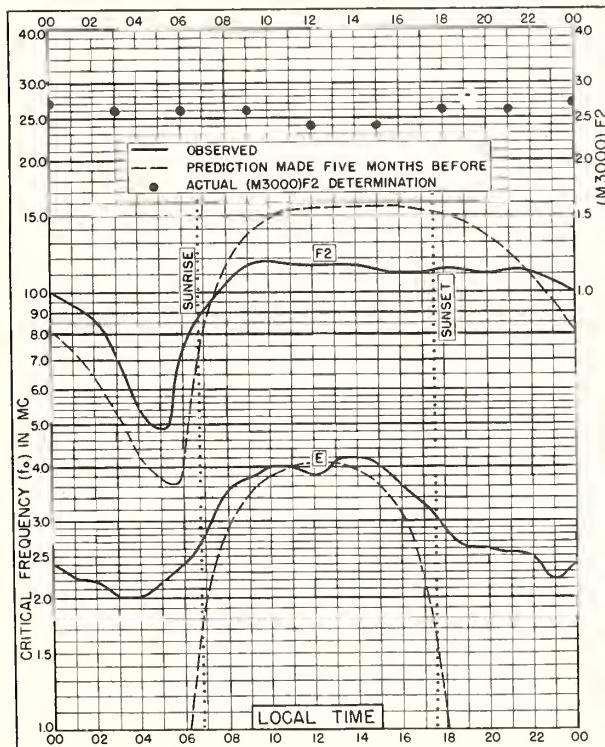
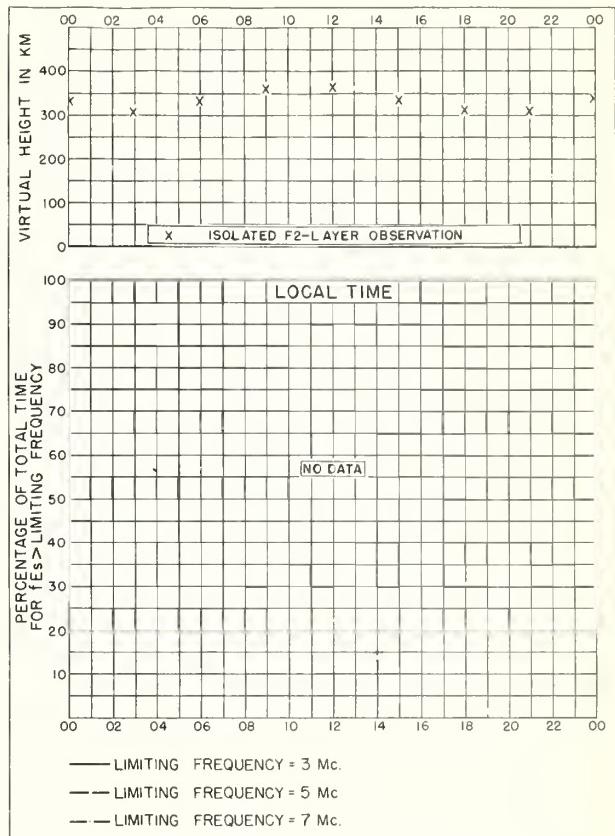
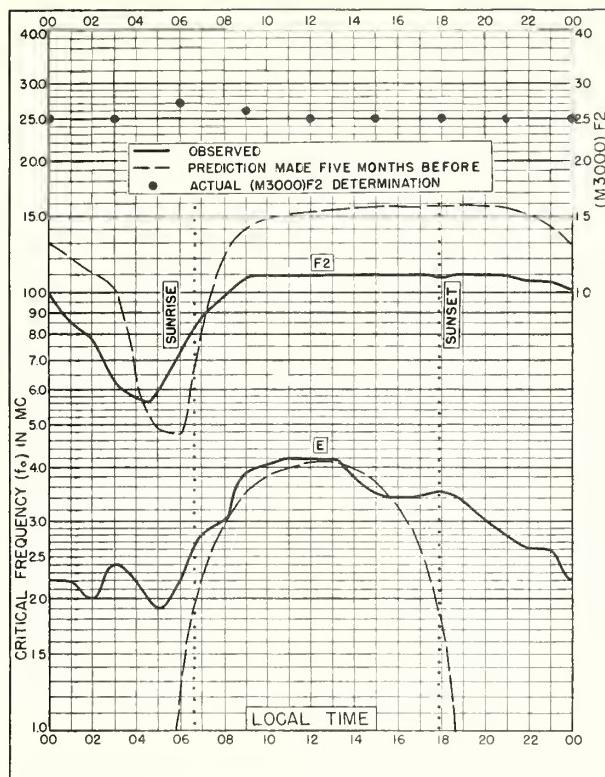
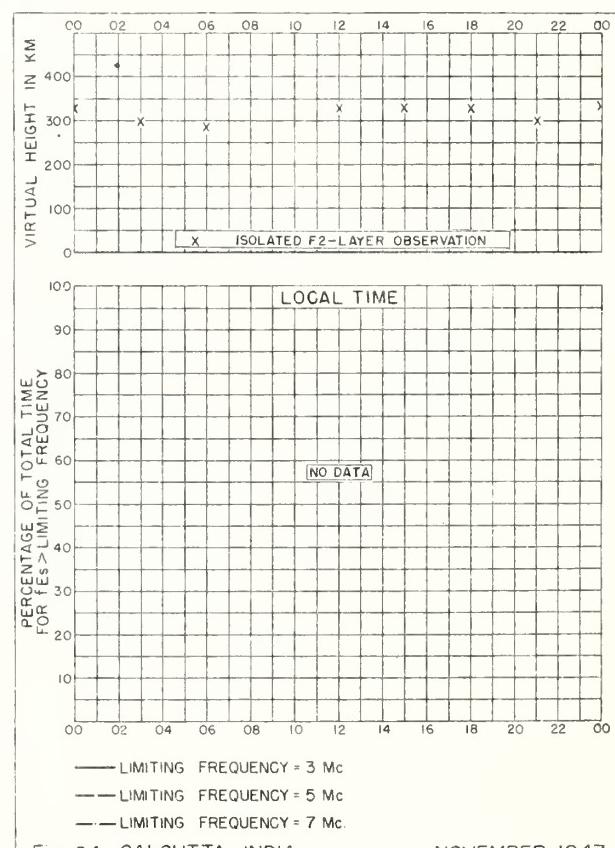
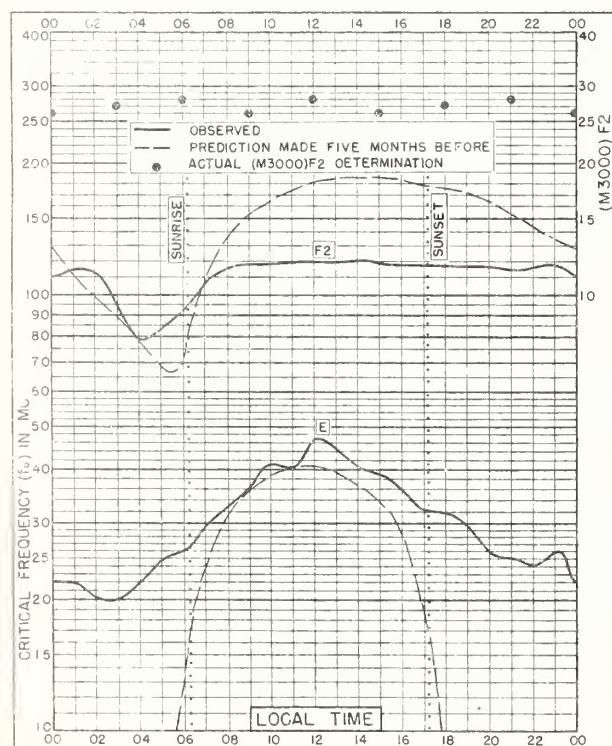
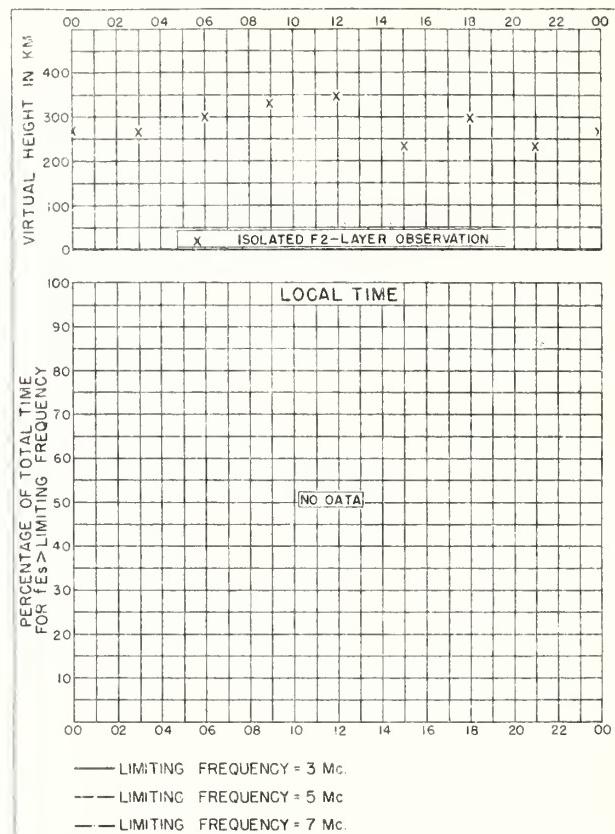
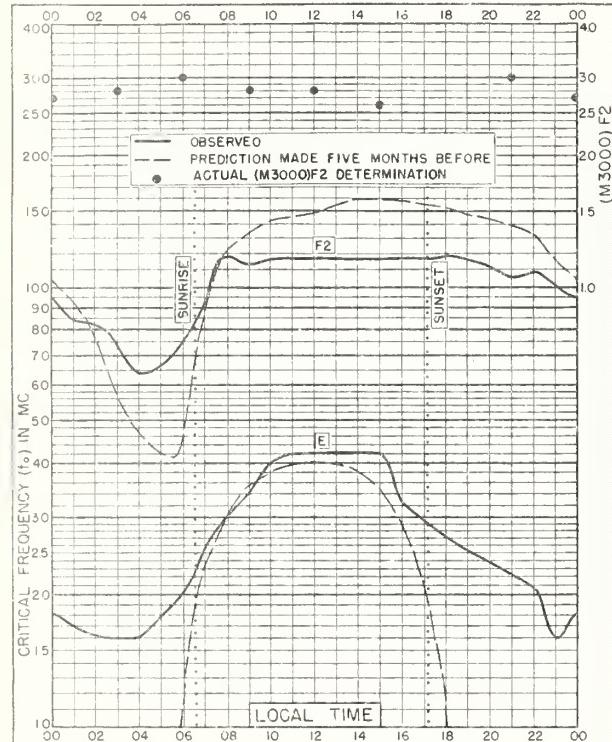


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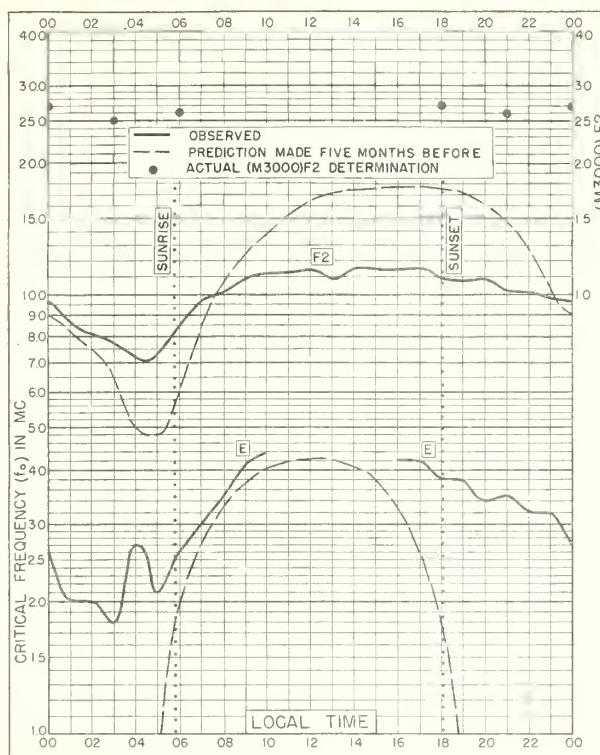


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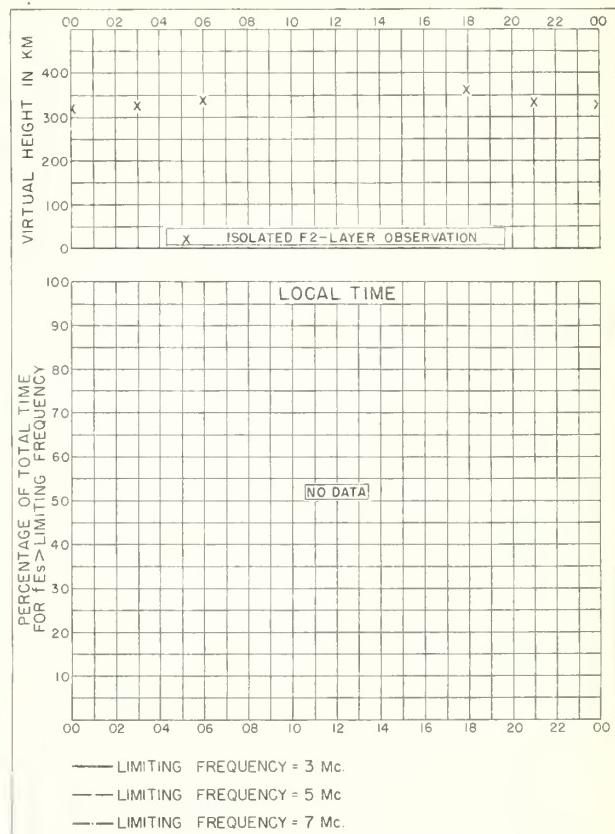


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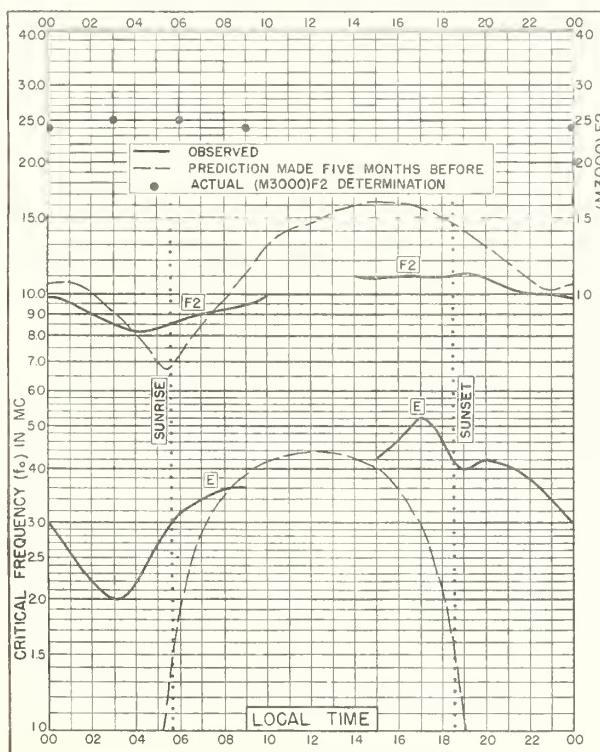


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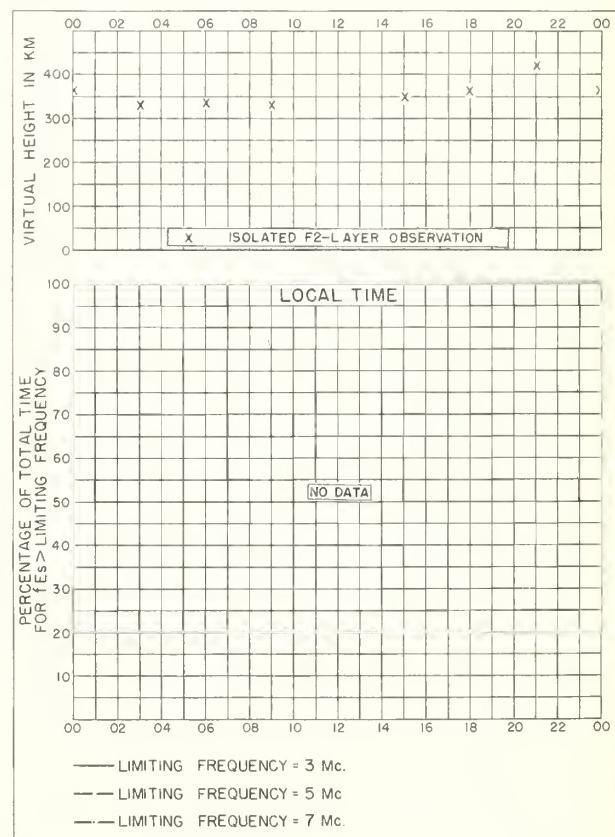
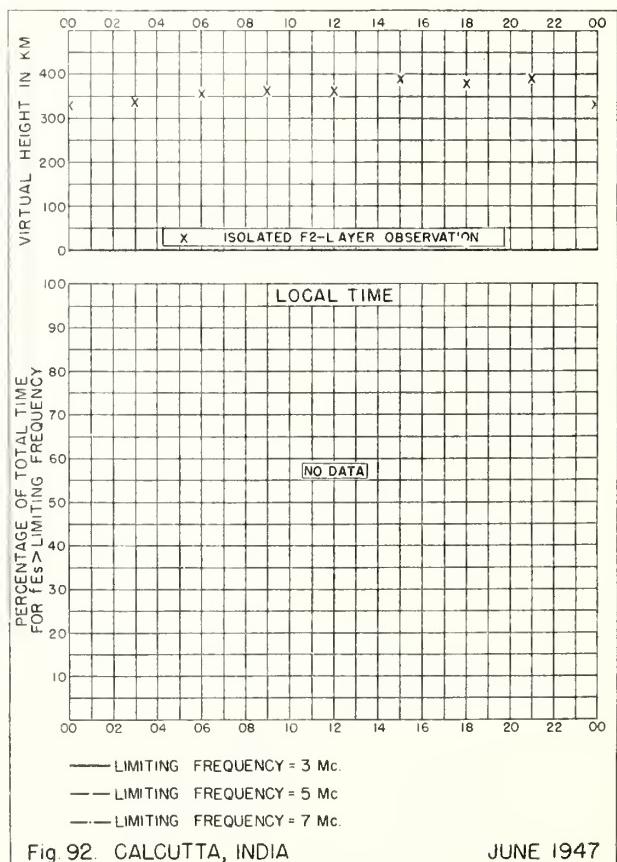
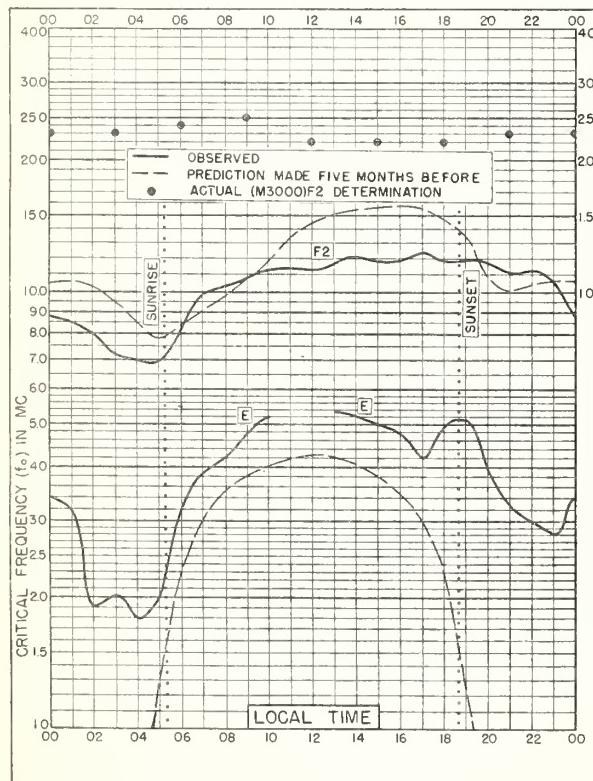
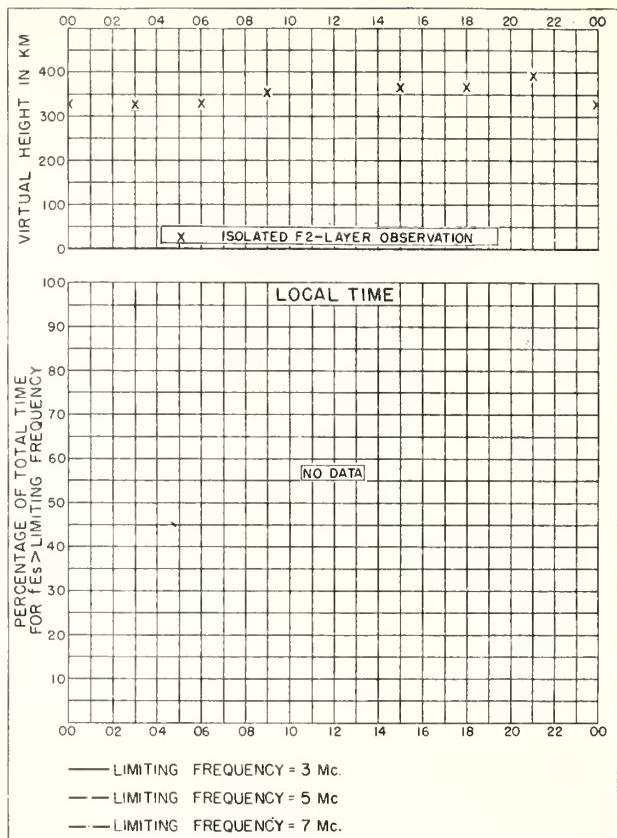
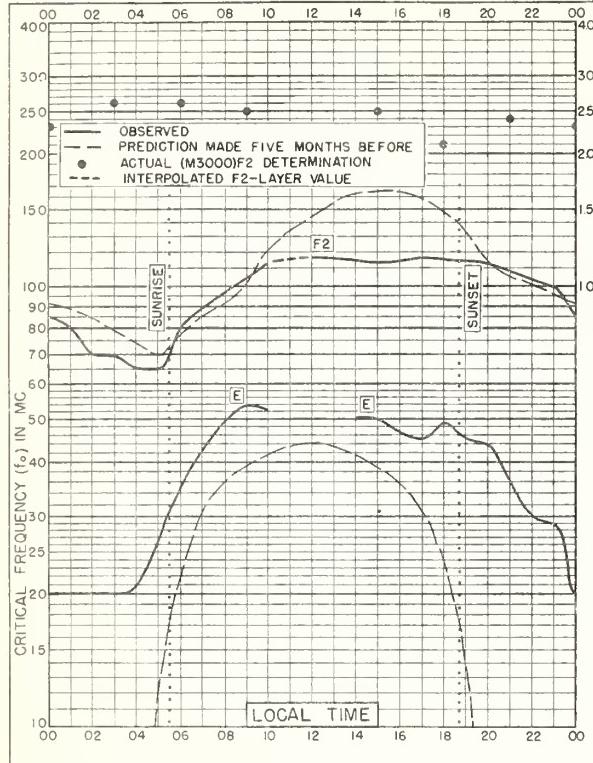


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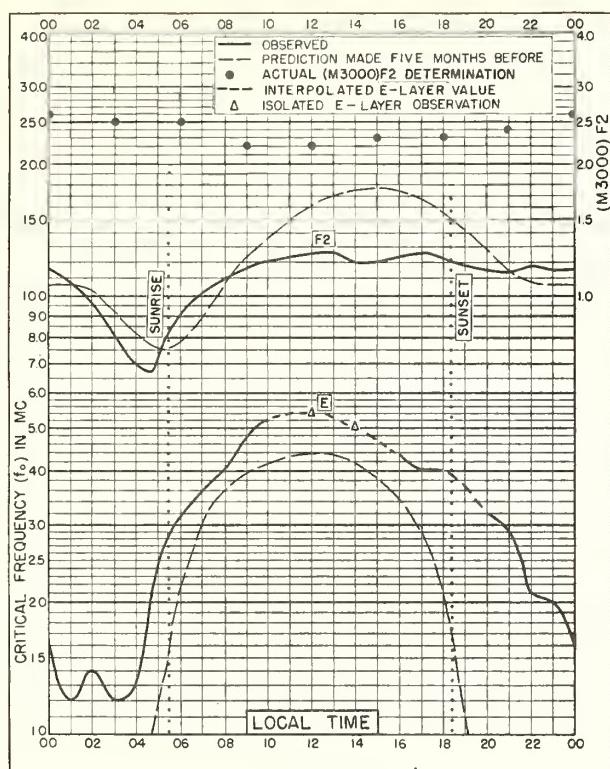


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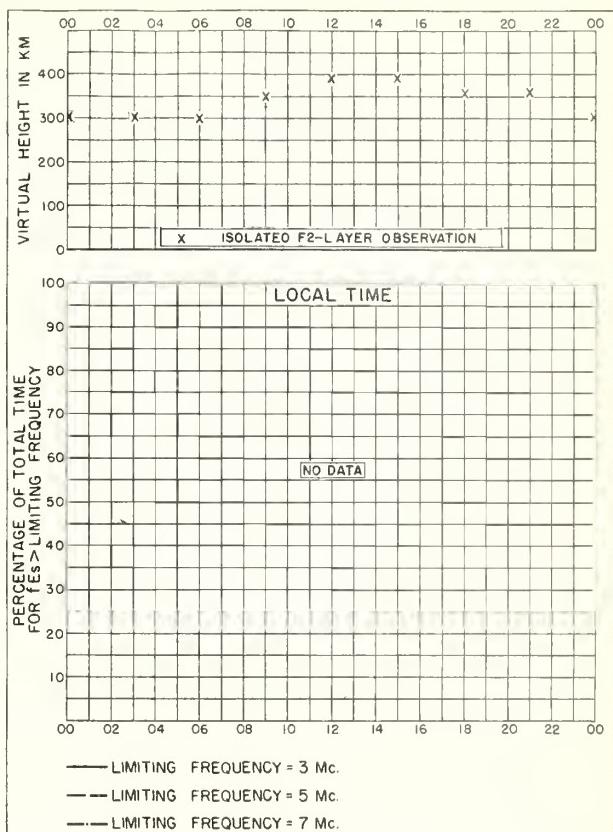


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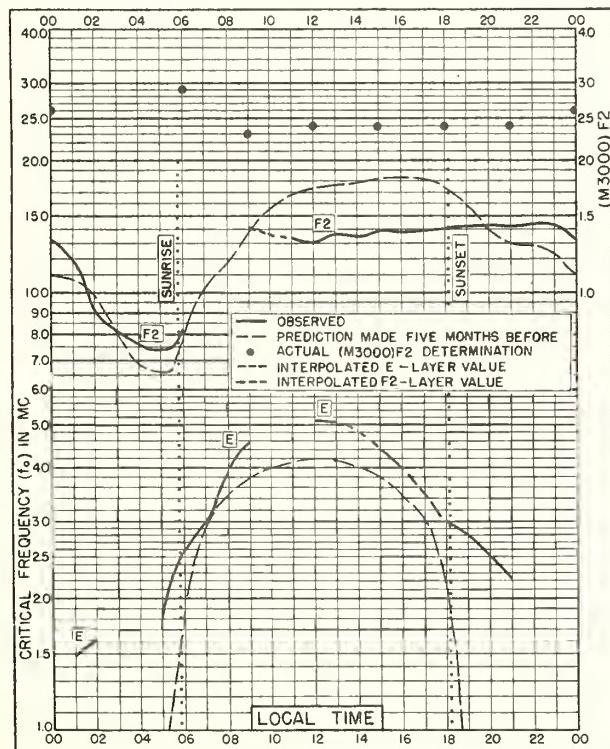


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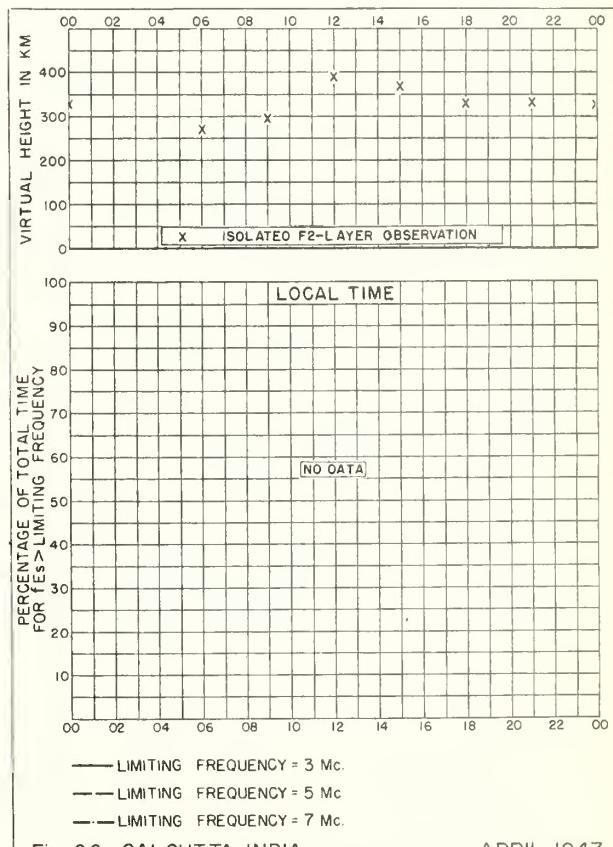
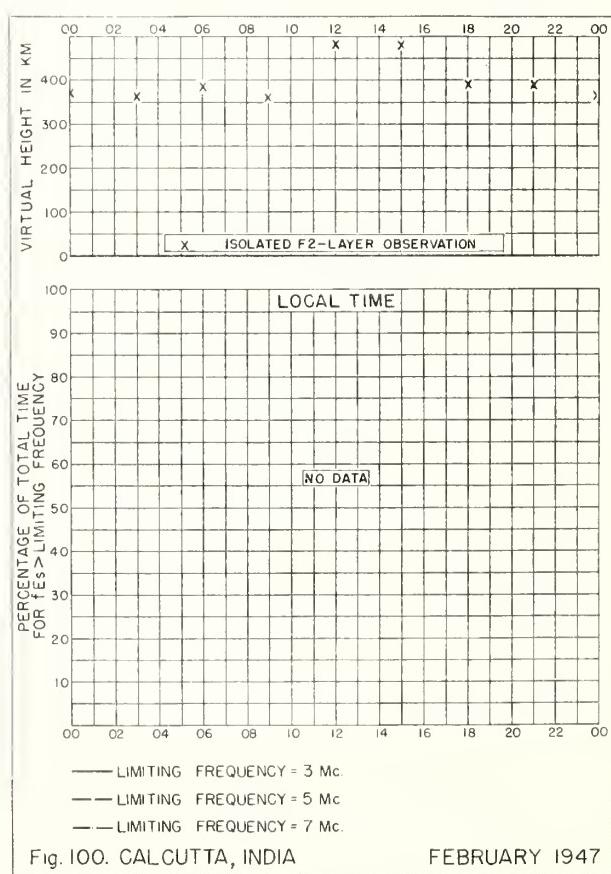
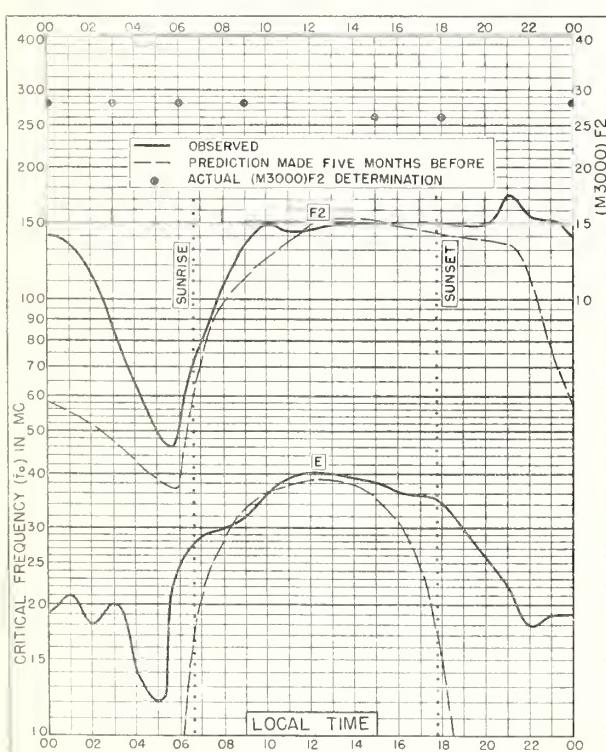
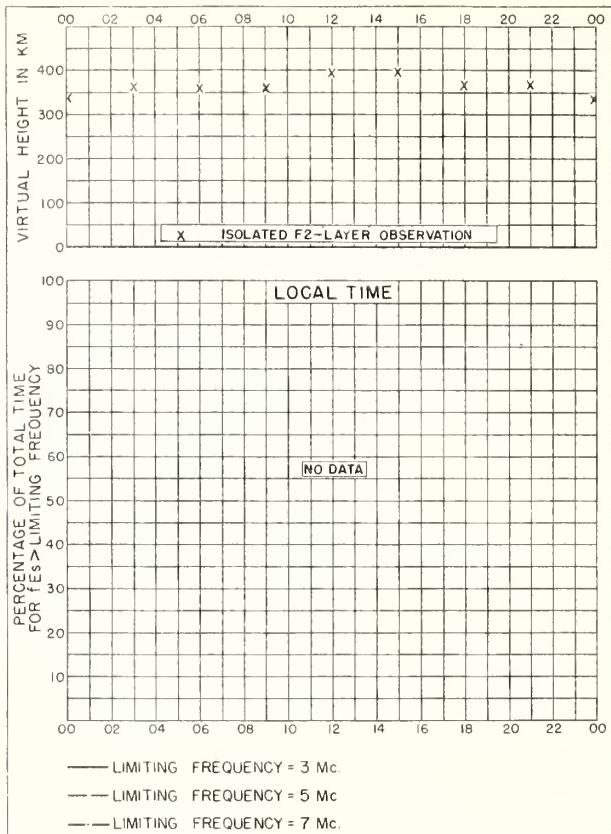
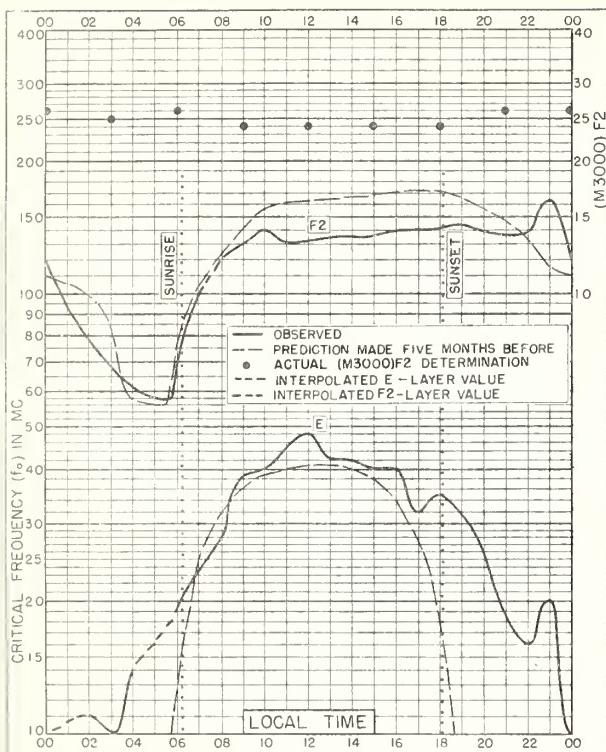
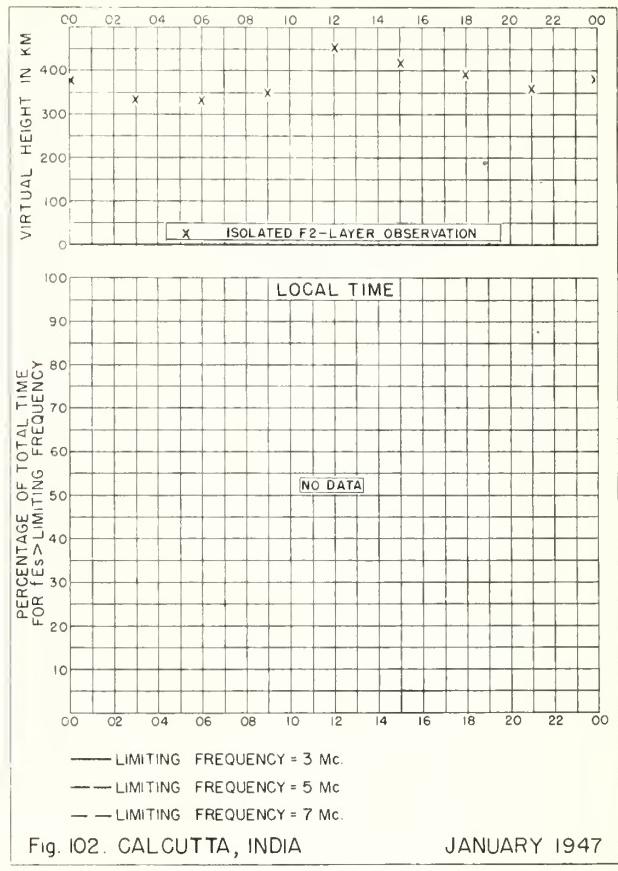
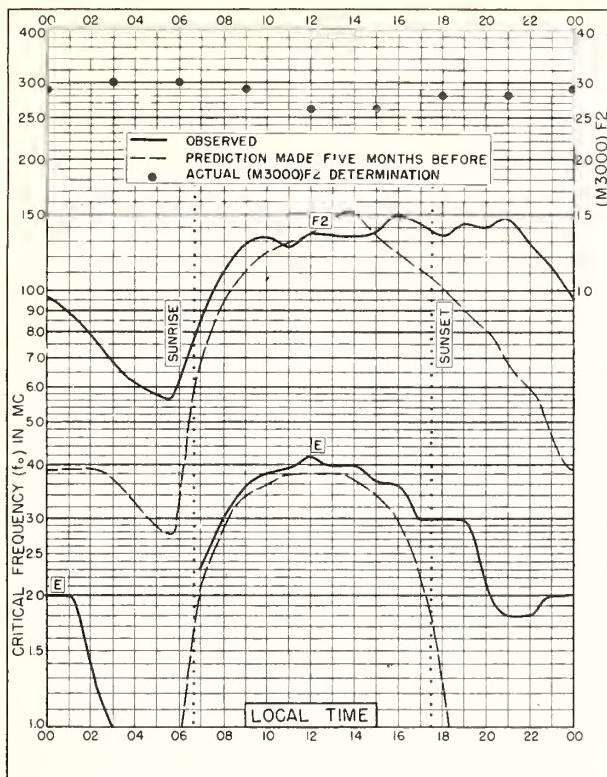


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